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ST. LOUIS, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 24, 1890.

# Carpetings and Curtains EXT

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY.

# At Less Than Manufacturers' Cost.

We'are moving into our new Broadway Store this week and will begin transferring our retail stock Thursday evening. Until then we will offer the entire balance of stock now in store at less than cost prices to import or manufacture. We offer only last season's patterns; they are first-class, and no better qualities can be purchased, but we desire to open our new store with nothing but choice Spring Styles in the shelves. Such bargains as we will offer to-day and until Thursday evening are very rare and exceedingly desirable.

# J. Kennard & Sons Carpet Co.



Peas, extra fine. Mushrooms. Flageolets. Macedoines. Haricot Verts.

Carrottes au Jus. Artichoke Hearts. Corn au Vinaigre. Asparagus en Branch. Mushrooms au Vinaigre.

# Truffles. Sardines, boneless.

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Furniture, Carpets, Stoves and Household Goods

Or anything else for your home, or if you want Clothing for Men, Boys and Children, Ladies' Seal Plush Coats, Wraps, Raglans and Modjeskas, Dry Goods, Dress Goods or anything else to make you comfortable and think you cannot purchase from us on

Our Liberal Credit System At as low a price as you can from houses doing a strictly cash business a visit to our establishment and inspection of our goods and a comparison of our prices will prove to you the great mistake you have made.

Terms to Suit Everybody. The Straus-Emerich Outfitting Co.,



CREAM AND LUNCH PARLORS. Ladies' Lunch a Specialty.

NORTH BROADWAY,

Opposite Scruggs'

THE BEST RECOMMENDATION BRACE UP



STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS. OFFICE OF THE ST. LOUIS UNION STOCK YARDS CO., Bremen av., east of Broadway. St. Louis, February 21, 1890.—Tho annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at this office, Monday, March 3, 1890. for the purpose of elegting seven directors to serve the ensuing year, and for, the transaction of such other business as may be presented. Polis open from 9 o'clock a. m. till 3 o'clock p. m. C. C. MAFFITT, President. W. A. RAMSAY, Secy. and Treas.

OFFICE of the People's Railway Co., St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 17, 1890.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's Railway Co. for the election of seven (7) directors to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company, 1810 Park av., on Tuesday, March 4, 1890, between the hours of 9 a. mand 12 o'clock noon.

JOSEPH PERRY, Secretary.

OFFICE of the Park Railway Co.

CHARLES GREEN, President.
JOSEPH PERRY. Secretary.

OFFICE of the Park Bailway Co., St. Louis, Mo.,
February 17, 1890.—The annual meeting of the
stockholders of the Park Railway Co., for the election of seyen (7) directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company,
1810 Park avenue, on Tuesday, March 4, 1890,
between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 o'clock noon.
JOSEPH PERRY.

CHARLES GREEN,
President.

OFFICE of the Fourth Street & Arsenal Railway
Co., St. Louis Mo., Fobruary 17, 1890. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fourth
Street & Arsenal Railway Co. for the election of
three (3) Directors to serve during the ensuing year,
will be neld at the office of the company, 1810 Park
av., on Tuesday, March 4, 1890, between the hours
of 9 a. m. and 12 o'clock noon.
JOSEPH PERRY, Secretary.

CTOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meet-

STOCKHOLDERS: MEETING.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Commercial Building Co. for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, 520 Olive at. St. Louis. Mo., on the 3d day of March, 1890, at 9° clock a. m.
CHARLES L. WILLOUGHBY, President.
EMILE GLOGAU, Secretary.

# Constitutional Catarrh.

No single disease has entailed more suffering or hastened the breaking up of the constitution than Catarrh. The sense of smell, of taste, of sight, of hearing, the human voice, the mind-one or more, and sometimes all, yield to its destructive influence. The poison is distributes throughout the system attacks every vital force, and breaks up the most robust of constitutions. Ignored, because but little understood, by most physicians, impotently assailed by quacks and charlatans, those suffering from it have little hope to be raileved of it this side of the grave. It is time, then, that the popular treatment of this terrible disease by remedies within the reach of all passed into hands at once competent and trustworthy. The new and hitherto untried method adopted by Dr. Sanford in the preparation of his RADICAL CURE has won the hearty approval of thousands. It is instantaneous in affording relief in all head colds, sneesing, snuffling and obstructed breathing, and rapidly removes the most oppressive symptoms, clearing the head, sweetening the brash, restoring the senses of smell, taste and hearing, and currently the consists of one bottle of the RADICAL CURE, one box of CATARRILL IR-SOLVENT, and IMPROVED INHALER; price, SI. POTTER DRUG & CHEMICAL CORPORATION, BOSTON.

FREE! FREE FROM PAIN!

On the 8th Ballot, the Windy City Receives 157 Votes.

End of the Great Fight for the World's Fair Location.

A Motion to Adjourn Shows Chicago's

ard Fight Made All Along the Line, Which Was Too Strong for All Three Competi ters-The Deciding Ballet in Full-De-

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24 .- On the eighth allot Chicago was chosen as the site for the World's Fair, receiving 157 votes.

The Vote in Detail.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24.—In spite of a bad day, with rain falling and the skies so dark that a full head of gas blazed above the glass panels of the celling of the Hall of the House at high noon, when the Speaker's gavel fell, the galleries were packed with spectators and crowds obstructed the corridors. All of these people had gathered to witness the deciding struggle between the adherents of the cities of New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Washington upon the result of which depended the location of the World's

A host of representative men were to be een in the reserved galleries. pened the proceedings by presenting John E. Reyburn, the successor of the late Repre-entative Kelly of Pennsylvania. Mr. Rey-

The clerk read the special order of the House prescribing the method of voting upon the site for the fair, requiring some one place to have a majority of the votes cast. Mr. Blount of Georgia wished to know !

there would be an opportunity affor areas upon the question as to whether there The Speaker replied that under the specia unity could not be had and

ecked by the Speaker.

THE FIRST BALLOT.

Those voting for Chicago were:
Adams,
Allen, (Mich.)
Anderson, (Kas.)
Kenr, (Io.
Lacey,
Lacey Kennedy, Kerr, (Io.) Lacey, LaFollette, La Follette,
Lawer,
Lawer,
Lind,
Martin, (Ind.)
Mason,
McClellan,
McCord,
McCreary,
McKenna,
McKinley
Moroy Brewer, Brickner,

Morey, Morrow, Outhwaite, Owen (Ind.) Parrett,

Butterworth, Chipman, Clark, (Wis.) Clunie, Comstock, Conger, Connell,

Payson, Pendleton, Perkins, Peters, Pickler, Post, Pugsley, Ray, Reed (Ia.), Shively, Smith (Ill.) Smith (W. Va.), Smyser, Snider, Snider,
Spooner,
Spooner,
Springer,
Stephenson,
Stephenson,
Studie,
Taylor (Ill.)
Taylor (Tenn.),
E. B. Taylor,
J. D. Taylor (O.),
Thomas

J. D. Taylor (O.),
Thomas,
Thompson,
Townsend (Pa.),
Turner (Kas.),
Van Schaack,
Walker (Mass.),
Weeler (Mich.)
Whiting,
Wickham,
Williams (O.),
Wilson (Wash),
Toder, Those voting for New York were;

Farqubar,
Flood,
Fowler,
Herbert,
Knapp,
Lansing,
Lester, (Ga.)
Magner,
LeCarthy,
liles,
Loore (N. H.),
Ute,

wenable, Wallace (N. Y.), Wfley, Wright, The Speaker, Reed-72.

LOUIS. ouls were: Anderson (Miss.), Cate, Clark (Ala.), Cobb, Culberson (Tex.), Ellis. Reard, Cinsey, Lewes, Martin (Tex.), McRae,

Mills, Morrill, Norton, O'Neal (Ind.), Pierce, Rogers, Stockdale, ayers. tone (Ky.), Stone (Mo.), Tumer (Ga.), Vandever, Walker (Mo.), Wike, Wilson (Mo.), Wise-61.

FOR WASHINGTON. Those voting for th Lanham,
Lee,
Lester (Va.),
Maish,
McUlammy,
McOomas,
Milliken,
Moore (Tex.),
Morgan
O'Fer.
O'Nelli (Mass.),
O'Nelli (Pa.),
Owens (O.), Boatden, Breckinridge (Ky.), Brower, Browne (Va.), Buchanan (Va.), Owens (O.), Randall (Mass.),

Harmer,
Hemphill,
Henderson (N. C.),
Hooker,
Houk,
Kerr (Pa.),

jority. During the call many members kept tally for themselves, and so it happened that when Mr. Mason's name was called he shouted out "Sixty-dve," meaning the total number of votes cast for Chicago up to that point, but corrected himself immediately to "Chicago" to the amusement of the House. The Chicago people were jubilant upon the announcement of the vote, but were restrained from expressing their feelings openly by reason of the Speaker's caution to the House to refrain from any demonstration. During the recapitulation of the names there were signs of consultation, among the leaders and the Chicago and Washington people looked with suspicion upon Mr. Deckery of Missourt when he approached Mr. Amos Cummings of New York, and held a whispared conversation with him for a moment.

The second ballot was taken and resulted as jority. During the call many members kept

FOURTH BALLOT. No choice having yet been made the fourth ballot was taken. The result was:

On the call of the roll for the fifth ballot-therejwas a decided change in favor of New York, but Chicago still added to her list of admirers. The ballot stood:

Washington. 19

Mr. Wilson of West Virginia after the sixth bailot given shove, made a motion that the House take a recess until to-morrow morning and the House is now alividing on the motion. On the roll call the friends of Chicago voted against a recess. The friends of Chicago voted against a recess. The friends of other cities generally favored the motion.

The vote on the motion for a recess resulted 138 years and 174 nays, so that the House refused to take a recess and the Chicago men were jubilant.

Chitago. 155

Chitage New York St. Louis Washington Total, 311. Majority, 156. Chicago only lone vote,

ONLY LACES ONE VOTE.

The Feeling Among the Workers. By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24 .- Balloting on the World's Fair site is the order for to-day. It is believed generally that there will be at  Washington. The latter city will receive many votes of those opposed so the fair. The Chicagona boast that St. Louis dere not go East for a second choice; that the Kentucky, Arkansas and Texas then would insist on Chicago before New York, or Washington. Francis is bordering on being enthusistic over St. Louis opportunity and chances, and Hon. John J. O'Nell, who a week ago was somewhat dispirited, has had such encouragement as to redouble his efforts. He has spent two days in trying to outtalk his Chicago opponent, and has the best of the argument up to date.

At 13 o'clock Gov. Francis and the whole Missouri contingent proceeded to the House of Representatives to be early on the ground to witness the inauguration of the battle.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The Times t its editorial page with this: "Of course ment of the Congressional World's Fair vill by making the date 1893 instead of 1892 will release every subscriber to the guarantee fund and diminish by over \$5,000,000 the amount now available for fair purposes. Over the agreement printed in the books in which the subscribtions were entered appears the following headline; "International exposition of 1892." The language of the agreement itself is as follows: "It being the desire of the subscribers here that there shail be suitable recognition of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America by the holding of an International Exposition at the city of New York; now, therefore, we, the tise undersigned, —, do agree each for himself to pay —, the respective amounts set opposite our names." This is a binding agreement. But an agreement to contribute money for a fair in 1892, or the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America, is clearly not an agreement to contribute money for a fair in 1893, or the four hundred and first anniversary of that event. Before Mr. Depew or any of the gentlemen who have worked so hard for the fair and for "harmony" assent to Mr. Platt's proposition it would be well for them to take thought how another guarantee fund can be raised. ment of the Congressional World's Fair bill

Chleage's Schemers. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24 .- It is claimed that Chicago's trickery in working for the World's Fair is being brought to light at every It is claimed that they spent \$15,000 to passage of the York World's Fair bill at Albany, and New Yorkers assert that they can and New Yorkers assert that they can prove it. It is also claimed that Chicago is purchasing World's Fair votes and is offering to protect members whose seats are contested if they will vote for Chicago. Chicago managers have retained the son of ex-Speaker Carlisle and brought him here from Wichits, Kan., to work for them. Ex-Speaker Carlisle made a speech recently, saying that he would favor St. Louis, but if that city could not get it then he would vote for Chicago. When told of his son's position he was greatly worked up as his speech had placed him in a disagreeable light and he made the assertion that he would vote for St. Louis as long as there was another voter with him.

A number of members have called at the St. Louis headquarters and said that their constituents would compel them to vote for Chicago at first, but they would vote for St. Louis utimately, and would work for that city. They said Chicago people had manufactured a good deal of sentiment in some places, but it would not stand. Chicago expects to be able to poil 100 votes on the first ballot and St. Louis sixty votes. The bitter feeling between New York and Chicago is becoming intensified, so that there are good grounds for balleving that St. Louis will get the fair, or the bill will be killed.

partment his annual report regarding the su of the industry. He says there can be no longer any doubt as to the practicability of the man-

the dry and undeveloped portions of the State,
where corn and other cereals are a partial or
total failure, sorghum will always flourish,
says Inspector Kellogg.

"The southern tier of countles in the State
as far west as the west line of Barbour County, is at present the cream of the sugar district. Sorghum has been cultivated for ten
consecutive years without a single failure in
Rice County, though some miles west of this
it has frequently been seriously damaged and
of but little value for making sugar. The
possibilities for the successful cultivater. of but fittle value for making sugar. The possibilities for the successful culture of the sugar beet have opened a new field of inquiry and it will take at least one or two seasons before the sugar district can be clearly defined. Vast tracts of land in the western part of the State are lying idle which in time may produce the richest cane; but for the present, in the light of past experience it is a hazardous undertaking to establish a plant west of the 99th meridian unless supplied with a never-falling system of irrigation."

# Terrible Boiler Explosion

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 24.-A special from Big Rapids, Mich., says: A boiler in the bath-room of the barber shop of Bell & Nagle n the basement of the Northern National Bank block exploded yesterday, fatally injuring Joe Shaw, employed in the shop,
and stunning Fred Stearns, who was
taking a bath at the time. The
partition between the bath-room and shop
was badly demoralized, windows were badly
shattered, and a big hole was blown
through the floor of the bank over the
bathroom. Shaw, who is about 18 years old,
is still alive but will probably die, being terribly cut and scalded. The explosion is attributed to low water in the boiler.

# Supposed Bridge-Burner Arrested.

Sy Telegraph to the Post-Disparcil.
WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 24.—The Santa Fe detectives having come to the conclusion after a careful investigation that the wreck of a week ago five miles south was caused by an inago five miles south was caused by an incendiary burning the treatle, have been working earnestly to make the arrest of the gullsy parties. The description as given by Farmer Cariton was a pointer which lead to the arrest of John Tilson last night, twenty miles south of Caldwell in the Cherokee strip. They claim to have a good cause for making the arrest and he will be held to answer the enarge. It is not known that he would be personally interested in burning the treatie except by being hired to do so. This vicinity and for a number of miles south the Santa Fe has enemies along the line, owing to right of way and claim troubles, and it is thought a man was employed to destroy the property.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

Jackson, Tenn., Feb. 24.—Mrs. Wilson, wife of Rev. A. R. Wilson, presiding elder of Jackson District, died at an early hour this morning. Deceased had been sick only one week with pneumonia. She leaves a large family. The funeral will take place in this city at 4 p. m. to-day.

Pana, ill., Feb. 24.—Robert B. Alexander, died last evening at the home of his eon in this city.

A runsway horse attached to a dog-cars in which were seated two young men, struck the side door of Agnes Brockmeyer's grocery store, 2301 O'Falion street, about 9:30 o'clook yesterdry evening. The door was broken in and a show-case on the inside demolished. Both of the young men were thrown against the side of the building but escaped uninjured. Their names are not known, as they drove rapidly away as soon as they regained their seats in the cart.

Chief P. M. Arthur of the Broth orning and registered at the Laclede Hotel,

MEXICO, Mo., Feb. 24 .- William Hartley years in 1880 for the murder of Martin Wiley

Valley Historical Society has just come into

# Three Children Burned to Death.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 24.—Yesterday afternoon, while three children of Hunt Bead, aged 6, 4 and 2 years, were playing in their home the house by some unexplainable means caught fire, and the children were burned to death. The skeleton of the youngest child was found clasped in the arms of the oldest.

Town Site Claimants

TEXABRANA, Feb. 24.—Suit was filed in the District Court yesterday against all the tenants and owners on what is known as Daniel Morris' survey of 4,000 acres. The town of Ingersoil and a number of saw-mills are on the tract. The Morris beirs claim the prop-erty and thus throw a cloud on the titles of hundreds of owners. Dry Sunday in Denver.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 24 .- Yesterday was the

second dry Sunday in Denver and it was enforced to the letter and almost as strictly obeyed. A saloon-keeper and his friends, who openly violated the law, were locked up and were kept in jail all night. Liquors were served with meals in restaurants but the hotels were very timid about violating the law. Insane From Smoking

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparcia.

Nashville, Ill., Feb. 24.—John M. White, a 57-year-old son of Judge A. White, a prominent and well known citizen of Richview, this county, has been declared insane from excessive use of tobabco by smoking. As he is considered dangerous he will be taken to the Anna Insane Asylum immediately.

CARBONDALE. Pa., Feb. 24.—The Lehigh Valley and Pennsylvania Coal Cos. have shus down, and hundreds of poor miners who deals at the companies' stores while they were open have no standing with the merchants, and many of these are actually starving.

Monile. Als., Feb. 24.—The tugboat Flora blew up yesterday in the Mobile River bout thirty miles above here, killing the gineer, Wm. Grimby, his son and the colered cook, and severely injuring the Capine, Hall, and Pilot Romell. Ice-House Cellapsed,

Missearchis, Minn., Feb. 24.—The Journal's Ashland (Wis.) special says: The Superior tice Co.'s big building at Bayfield has just col-apsed. One man was fatally and several others more or less seriously hurt. The building contains 20,000 pounds of ice.

Those eighteen-inch square

damask napkins at 81 cents



We're going to Barr's big dress fabric sale, elegant 40in. French Henrietta, in every color made, 49 cents. Stylish big Tartan plaids for bias suits, pure wool, 40 inches, only 49 cents. Black French Henrietta and Mohair Brilliantine, 40 inches, 49 cents.

That's an idea of what the 49 cent sale means.

You won't find any polysyllabic elaboration here today, but you'll find ladies' stylish walking boots in bright dongola, with patent leather tips, for \$2.97 a pair at Barr's to-morrow.

each will go as fast as they are seen; so'll the handsome extra long sideboard and dresser scarfs at 49 cents

Such pretty buckles! The long, square and all other fashionable shapes, cut steel, oxidized, cut jet, bronze, etc., 12 cents to \$3.75.

Barr's exhibit of novelties in China Silks! A special assortment this week at 57 cents a yard.

Don't forget that beautiful all-silk black rope fringes, 51 inches deep, are only 98 cents a yard at Barr's this week.

Double width all-wool flannel suiting for 29 cents a yard during Barr's big dress goods sale.

54-inch cloth for the big peasant cloaks only 49 cents a yard, and all wool too.

Barr's 49-cent dress goods sale includes an all-wool tricot a yard and a half wide, just | St. Louis, Mo.

the right weight for traveling and country dresses.

Out of town shoppers will be given every advantage during the dress goods sale at the Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., Sixth, BARR'S. Olive, Locust,

# A DEADLY DELUGE.

Many Lives Reported Lost by the Break of the Walnut Grove Basin.

Property Worth Millions of Dollars at the . Mercy of the Flood.

Details of the Disaster Hard to Obtain History of the Construction and Character of the Dam That Gave Way-Why Such Basins Are Built on the Streams of Arisons-The Office They Perform-Nece uity of a System for Water Storage -Report of an Expert Engineer Who Visited the Walnut Greve Structure Two Years Ago.

PRESCOTT, Ariz., Feb. 24.—The messenger who brought the news Saturday night that the great dam at Walnut Grove had given way and flooded the valley, killing people and live stock, and doing great damage, left Sun-day morning at daybreak. It takes twentyfour hours for a carrier to make one round for in this way. The estimated loss of life and property at this time cannot be made. It is known a number of lives were lost and mil-

G. Arthur Allen, formerly interested in the enterprise, and John McDonald, an owner of the Blue Dick mine, returned this morning

away. The main canal gives off lateral branches at frequent intervals, and by an ingenious system of gates, crossings and ditches sends water to every foot of arable ground between it and the river.

"The latest solution of the problem of water supply is that of water-storage. Its idea is this. Although not many of the streams carry water throughout the year, they all run full at some time within the year. As decribed before, many of them are raging torrents in the early spring or for a few days in summer after a cloud-burst in the mountains. This water is now wasted or worse than wasted, denuding the land of its soil and carrying destruction to dams and irrigating canais. The plan of water storage is to impound this water as it runs to waste in the season of flood and use it in the season of drought. Select the proper valleys for water-basins, close their outlets with dams, store great lakes of water when the mountain snows melt, and then let it out slowly and at will through flumes and ditches to the lands below—this is the essence of the new idea."

The Walnut Grove Water Co.'s dam, which has broken, was built to impound the water of a stream. It lay in the typical position for such structures, closing the marrow outlet of a wide valley. Mr. Bates said it was built of stone and depended on gravity as its

FRINCIPLE OF CONSTRUCTION.

He said: "Its situation, in the interior and many miles from a railroad, precluded the use of cement, while the sides of the very canon it closes furnished an inexhaustible supply of the best granite. The dam is a huge wedge-shaped core of loose rock thrown in just as it was biasted from the hill-sides, and kept in place and shape by wide back and front walls. These walls are hand-laid, but without cement. With no, further protection the water would, of course, flow away almost as fast as if no dam were there. This protection is supplied by a double apron or skin of three-inch planks, lined with tarred felting, calked and painted with water-proof paint, cover inch planks, lined w

WALNUT GROVE DAM, WITH LAKE PARTIALLY FILLED.

in the Wainut Grove dam. If the disaster has occurred the loss of life and damage to property must be very great.

The entire valley from the dam to Wickenberg is inhabited principally by Mexican miners and rancimen. The fall of rain and snow has been heavy in the mountains far to the north, and east and the water here is very high! Sait River rose seventees The railroad bridge across it feet, and a half mile of track on the bank of river is gone. Telegraphic communication was interrupted, but a wire was placed across the river last night.

DESCRIPTION OF THE DAM.

Why It Was Built-Plan of Construction

An Engineer's Statement. The Hassayampa dam at Walnut Grove was completed in the latter part of 1888. It is forty miles from Prescott, Ariz., and to the It was constructed by the Walnut Grove Water Co. to furnish water for irrigating the farms on the lower levels. In that country farmers have to secure water by artificial means, for though the annual rain artificial means, for though the annual rainfall is ample it all comes in the winter and is rapidly swallowed by the sandy beds of streams or, flows away rapidly down steep, narrow troughs, so when summer comes thousands of acres of land are unwatered. In some regions water has been found by digging a few feet beneath the surface; deep arteeian wells have been sunk and living streams have diverted from their course through canals by water companies.

Wailer Sillette Bates, in January Scribner's Magazine, says:

and living streams have diverted from their course through canals by water companies.

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"The PRIOR APPROPRIATOR.

"The laws of the Western States and Territories everywhere recognize and protect the rights of the first or 'prior appropriator' of water. If the first settler on the banks of a stream draws off in his ditch one half or the whole of the customary flow to irrigate his farm, he has the right to take this one-half or the whole flow forever to the entire exclusion of any subsequent settler. But the same rule applies to rivers of large size. As the quick-witted Westerner stands by the side of the great rivers and looks over thousands of acres of desert land along its banks, he sees a fortune in the situation. Only get capital enough together, organize a great company, dig an immense canal which will "appropriate" all the water in the river, and you command the whole valley. It is the position of the Western raliroads repeated. Instead of watting for settlers to come and dig little ditches as they need them, an immense capital digs one huge canal watering thousands of farms, and then draws settlers by salvertisement and boom. So all over the West, throughout Colorado, in Central and Southern Afficone, there are great companies, with capital running into millions, putting this ideal into effect. The canalis they did not the serious defect. The canalis they did not the serious of the country, romains back farther and recommended in the serious of the country, romains back farther and recommended proved in themselves. They follow the serious of the country, romains back farther and recommended proved in themselves. They follow the serious of the country, romains back farther and recommended proved in themselves. They follow the serious of the country romains back farther and recommended proved in themselves.

from the Dosoris divide, fourteen miles south of town, from where a view of the dam could be had, and report that it has gone without doubt. The wash waterway could be plainly seen with their powerful glasses high up on the side of the cliff, while the break in the stone work of the dam was also plainly seen. The break sloped to the eastward, leaving the impression that the main break was in the east side.

No News From Walnut Grove.

PHENIX, Ariz., Feb. 24.—No information has yet been received here in regard to the break in the Wainut Grove dam. If the disaster has occurred the loss of life and damage to prop-

RESULT OF MR. WAGNER'S INSPECTION.

Luther Wagner, a San Francisco engineer, made an inspection of the Walnut Grove dam two years ago in the employment of the owners. The dam was then leaking. He found the dam seventy feet high, with forty feet more to be added. The loose rock had been thrown in carclessly from the train and was too high in the center, thus weakening the dam's resistance to the pressure. Inside of the stone work was to be a sheathing of wood, water tight, and where this met the bed rock there was to be a thick coating of the best Portland cement. From talks with workmen Wagner found that this cement sheathing had not been well but on, because the company cement. From talks with workmen wagner found that this cement sheathing had not been well put on, because the company kicked at the cost of the cement, having to pay \$2 freight on every dollar's worth of the material. In this way a dangerous crevice was made, through which the water was leaking badly. Wagner also found that much of the wooden sheathing was made of lumber from the neighboring mountains and was knotty and poor. He advised opening waste ways, and this was done. He also advised discharge of the engineer and the contractors and some radical reforms in construction, but the company decided against these recommendations. Wagner told the company plainly in his report that the dam would be unsafe, but to avoid extra expense they decided to complete the work as they had begun. The result which has now followed was predicted a year ago by Wagner in a lecture before the Engineering Society in Phonix, Ariz.

The President's Name Forged.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24 .- About two weeks ago J. P. Powell, a colored preacher, came here from Barton, Ala., and carried to the White House a letter purporting to be signed by "Benjamin Harrison, President of the United States," informing him that a position worth \$100 a month was awaiting him, and directing him to report at once. Mr. Halford quickly undeceived the poor man and went with him to Chief Post-office Inspector Rathbone to see if the cruel practical joker could not be discovered. It was a heartless bit of deception. Powell was given enough money to take him home and Chief Inspector Rathbone at once began a searching investigation to discover the forger. It seems he has been successful, for this evening Private Secretary Halford received the following telegram, dated Chattanoga, Tenn.: "Have just arrested Samuel Holman, Post-master at Barton, Ala., for forging the President's name to a communication to J. P. Powell, colored, which caused Powell to go to Washington, expecting a position as special agent." Signed, E. G. Bathboxe, Chief Inspector.

Industrial Interests.

Tue Laciede Gas-works will build an addition to their works soon.

The Furniture Workers' Union will have an eight-hour meeting next Thursday night at St. Louis Hall, Broadway and Biddle street. The Mermod & Jaccard Jeweiry Co. will hold a meeting April 9, to vote upon a proposition to increase its capital stock to \$40,000.

The Wood-workers' Union at its last meeting discussed the labor problem in general, the discussed the labor problem in general, and added quite a number of members to like the labor another to like the labor another of members to like the labor another laboration and laboration another laboration and laboration and laboration and laboration ano THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

N OFFICE THAT WILL CAUSE TROUBLE AMONG MISSOURI REPUBLICANS.

Service Investigation-Senators Chandler and Call Have a Tilt in the Senate on the Saunders Matter-Washington News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24.—Up to the present time there has been a disposition not to disturb the occupant of the United States Marshal's office for the Eastern Missouri Dis-Marshal's office for the Eastern Missouri Dis-trict. It is not considered a very fat plum. The Congressmen have not decided upon a sucsessor and there are prospects of a rivairy between the country and St. Louis for the nomination when the time comes for a change, which is liable to produce such dis-cord in the Republican ranks as may endanger the political future of some of those inter-ested. These facts have waaranted slow pro-cedure.

The District Attorney for Eastern Missouri

cont in the aspendency areas as may enucasper caseds. The District Attorney for Eastern Missoury The District Attorney for Eastern Missoury when asked to report upon the advisability of could find no grounds upon which to recommend a change. So the matter has run along until sit those interested began to believe that one of the could find no grounds upon which to recommend a change. So the matter has run along until sit those interested began to believe that his term out. Whether he will or not will soon be decided, as there are energetic parties at work who are determined upon a the street when he died was but seven mouths and that his firm which the late Marshal Counts would have had left to serve when he died was but seven mouths and that his firm which the late which the late of the counts and deriment to the list of the county of the county and he district that he was the county of the county of the county of the county of the county courtesies due a retiring official. That before Judge Emerson had filed a bond he was asked to step into the office. It is alleged that the pressure became so great on Fresident Cleveland, that he has tened the nomination of Judge Emerson, who had the was asked to step into the office. The state pacing through the court corridors, demanding in violent language their fees and mileste, which could not be paid them, owing the order of the county and the way to Crawford County, his home.

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Senate Proceedings. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24 .- Mr. Chandler rising to a question of privileges, called atn to the fact that the Senator from Florida (Mr. Call) in the debate last Thursday had uttered words personally offensive to him (which he had not then heard), and had followed up that breach of order by had followed up that breach of order by changing and adding to the official report of his remarks a paragraph still more offensive. He (Mr. Chandler) deemed it his duty before replying to the assault made upon him to bring the Senator's conduct before the Senate for such action as may be deemed just and suitable for such a transgression. He therefore offered a preamble and resolution stating that the Senator from Florida had charged him in debate with personal responsibility of the outraging of women and the murdering of children and the destruction of the happiness of households in the South by men who were the emissaries behind him, and that the Senator had, in addition, inserted the following paragraph, which he had not spoken: "The blood of Saunders (if the evidence shall show his death was in any way connected with the prosecutions in the United States Courts) will rest on his conscience. The shrieking ghosts of outraged and murdered women and children, the victims of the wild lusts and passions of a race who owe all that they know of religion and civilization to the Southern white people and not to the Senator from New Hampshire, will disturb his sleeping and his waking hours. Like Banquo's ghost is will not down, and the open will not wash his blood stained hands from the guilt of the rape and murder of these tender white women and children."

The resolution condemns such action as a breach of privilege for which the Senator (Mr. Call) is censured and orders the words so inserted and the paragraph so added to be stricken from the preprint the behad in debate.

Mr. Call defended his course in the words. changing and adding to the official report

Record.

Mr. Call defended his course in the matter, asserting that he had, in debate, expressed substantially the same idea as was expressed in the additional paragraph. He had simply changed the phrase-clogy as he had the right to do, and therefore, thestatement by the Senator from New Hampshire was not true. It was the first time in his clear was not true. It was the first time in his clear was not true.

was in session this morning, but did not ex-

amine any witnesses.

Representative Ewald filed the formal charges against the commission. They recitie: First. That Charles Lyman, in April 1ast, when acting as sole Commissioner, promoted his brother-in-law, Campbell, to a \$1,200 clerkship in the commission.

Second. That Campbell, in January, 1888, secretly abstracted from the files a list of examination questions and gave them to a copylist in the Peaslon Office, who turned them over to one Flynn, principal of the lry Institute.

Third. That Campbell's promotion was made by Lyman with full knowledge of the facts.

Fourth. That Commissioners Roossvelt and Thomson refused to investigate the matter beyond examining Campbell, who was censured.

Fifth. That Campbell, illegally retains his

Fifth. That Campbell illegally retains his place.
Further, that Edwin D. Bailey was promoted illegally without examination. That the papers of Thomas Mitchell were re-marked after his failure to pass an examination in order to secure his promotion and, finally, that Commissioner Roosevelt secured the appointment of Humilton Shidy to a place in the Census Bureau notwithstanding the fact that he had repeatedly and persistently violated his cath ofoffice.

The committee will meet Wednesday morning to resume the investigation.

ings to-day were \$95,000 41/2s at 104%. All the

MRS. MINNIE COATES' APPEAL.

Children if She Gets Them Back, Mrs. Minnie Coates, the divorced wife Edward H. Coates, who killed Dr. Keith on ourteenth and Pine streets several years ago, filed a motion in court this morning for a modifica tion of a former decree giving Coates the righ

withrow's court this morning for a modineation of a former decree giving Coates the right to have the children at stated periods. When she secured a divorce from her husband, two months ago, an order was made allowing Mr. Coates to see his children at least once a week and ordering him to pay his wife a certain smail sum each week for their support. Mrs. Coates asks to have the order modified, saying Mr. Coates stole the children on his second visit and has kept them from her ever since and has also disobeyed the order of court in not paying her allmony.

Coates, it will be remembered, abducted the children a couple of moaths ago. They were taken to see him and he then left for parts unknown. The first knowledge Mrs. Coates had that the children would not be returned to her was in a letter which she received from Coates in which he told her that she would never see them again. The information, which was conveyed in a most cruel way, completely prostrated the mother, and for a time her life was thought to be in danger. The children are both little girls aged 7 and 4 years. Mrs. Coates has yet ne knowledge of her little ones' whereabouts, but she is desirous of arranging against Coates wer getting the children again should she once secure possession of them.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

The route of the proposed St. Louis, Venice &Alton Railway is being surveyed preparatory to contracting for its construction. An Alton engineering corps has been at work on the line since last week. The surveying is expected to be finished within another week and the contracts will be let as soon thereafter as figures can be obtained. Deputy Sheriff James made an arrest this morning that caused quite a stir in the village of New Brighton, adjoining East St. Louis. The man arrested was Christian Meyer, the willage clerk. The charge against him is the embezzlement of public funds.

The farmers living along and near the Collinsville and Caseyville roads have obtained an estimate of the cost of putting down a rock bed twelve feet wide, the figures showing that the expense will approximate \$4 per lineal foot. They held a meeting Saturday night at Canteen and decided to improve the roads on that basis.

Belleville. to contracting for its construction. An Alton

carpenter, who had been injured while at work on Saturday, was brought to Belleville resterday and placed in the County Hospita

A Diamond Wedding.

CANNON CITY, Minn., Feb. 24.—A very a securrence was witnessed at Cannon City and any, it being the celebration of the diam wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anders

AMONG THE BROKERS.

Fair General Trading-The Transi

The Mining Exchange market opened up rather dull this morning and trading was spasmodic. The transactions footed up fairly well, however, being 2,300 shares of Black Oak at 1; 5,900 Central silver at 23% to 21%, 22% at the close; 400 Elizabeth at \$1.45, and 1,000 the close; 400 Elizabeth at 31.2, and 1,000 seller, 60 at \$1.47½; 100 Keystone at 4½; 200 Major Budd at 1844; 200 Neath at 7½; 1,100 La Union at 2½; 500 Pedro at 2½ and 500 at 3; 3,300 Pine Grove at 6, and 200 Tourtelotte at 8. The trading in Black Oak was the first done for some time. Samoa was 16½ asked, 15 bld, and was rather weak.

The quotations on call this morning were a | Solden W | Glun Era | Gold Run | Glun Era | Raspberry | Rosalis | Gold Run | 45 86 45 75 | Ropes | Rosalis | Rosal

Yuma was also offered at 55, seller 60 days.

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The trust certificates market this morning



Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

Parsons, Kan., Feb. 22.-The Eberlee notes have turned up in the hands of innocent pur chasers, and hundreds of farmers in section are now being sued on this section are now being sued on them in the District Court of Wyandotte County. In order to evade the collection of these debts in the counties where the notes were taken the innocent purchasers, have made Eberlee a party to the sulf and gone through the formality of getting service on Eberlee in Wyandotte County, which compels the parties giving the notes to fight the case in Wyandotte County. Had the cases been tried in the counties where the frauds had been committed it would have been better for the persons victimized, but the taking of the cases to Wyandotte County may be considered a great point in favor of the innocent purchasers.

Murphysboro's Enterprise.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATOR. MURPHYSDORO, Ill., Feb. 24.—The electric plant first flashed light on Murphysboro last night. The contract was to have them com-mence on the 15th uit., since when the company are under forfeiture of \$25 per day, unless, as claimed by them, they were not furnished with water. The company putting them in say that by July Murphysboro will have the finest system of water-works and electric lights of any town of its size in the State of Illinois.

Commissioned by Miss Drexel.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn,, Feb. 24 .- The Journal's Jamestown (N. D.) special says: Rev. Father Stephen, the well-known Catholic missionary, arrived here to-day from Washington, en route to the Turtle Mountain Indian reservation. He is commissioned by Miss Drexel of Philadelphia to investigate the reports of destitution among the Indians on that reservation and to supply them, if necessary, with food and clothing.

A St. Louisan's Claim to Arkansas Lands

I . Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 24 .- Advices from Mammoth Spring, Ark., say that something of a sensation has been created by the claim of Charles E. Ware of St. Louis to land in the vicinty and which embraces a portion of the town. Ware claims that his title to the land was established in a suit in the United States Court at this place, in 1888. The matter is being carefully investigated by the present claimants of the property.

Accidentally Shot.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparca. a farmer residing in Chicksaw Nation, a few miles north of Gainesville, accidentally sho miles north of Gainesville, accidentally shot himself this morning, while hauling a load of wood to his home. He had a double barreled gun loaded with huckshot lying on the load of wood and he was standing behind the wagon when his little boy started the team. A sick of wook rolled against the hammer of the gun which discharged it, the entire load taking effect in his face and neck almost severing the head from the body, killing him instantly.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparce.

Mr. Vernon, Ill., Feb. 24.—The new Cours by the Board of Supervisors, and is in every way most satisfactory. A committee has been appointed to buy furniture for it, and the building will be ready for occupancy by the next term of court. It is a much nicer structure than the old one, which was destroyed just two years ago by the cyclone.

Hungarians Organize. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 24.-The first Slavish convention ever held in the United States is now in session at Walthrop Hall, Allegheny City. The object of the convention is to form a national organization for the purpose of looking after the interests of the Hungarians in all parts of the country and establish a system by which these people can be properly educated and their rights protected. Delegates are present from a number of the large eities.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—General Superintendent Woodard of the Monon Route says that the accident on his line reported from Indianapolis was caused by a heavy fog. A freight train ran into a train of empty cars at Pleasant Ridge. Nobody was hurt and only slight damage waf done to the empty train.

GOODS ALMOST CIVEN AWAY

For Five Days Only, an Opportunity to Buy Goods at Your Own Price.

All Odds and Ends left over from our great Clearing Sale will be slaughtered regardless of former prices.

Odds and Ends Men's Suits and Overcoats, from the cheapest to the Odds and Ends Boys' Suits and Overcoats, from the cheapest to the

Odds and Ends Men's, Ladies', Misses', Boys' and Children's Shoes. Odds and Ends Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods.

All will go at such ridiculously low figures that the low prices will astonish you. Come and see how much money you can save this week by baying at the

705, 707, 709, 711 and 713 Franklin Avenue. Open every evening until 9; Saturdays until 11. Country orders carefully and promptly filled. Exclargest Shoe and Clothing Establishment in the West.

Mrs. John Stone, wife of Patrolman Stone of the Fifth District, died to-day at Benton. The funeral will take place to-morrow. Six brother officers will probably act as pall-baarers.

ALECTURE on "The Meaning of the Idyls of the King" will be delivered at Memorial Hall, Wednesday evening, by Conde B. Pal-len, Ph. D. It promises to be a very interest-ing event.

BURGLARS attempted to obtain entrance to the residence of Herman Sanders, 1330 Menard street, on Friday night. They were discov-ered endeavoring to out the stats in a rear window but were frightened away.

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JACOB KAEMMERER, a baker, doing business at 2785 south Seventh street, has donated 10 loaves of bread to the poor of the Second District. To-day he left tickets for the food with Capt. Hercules at the police station.

THE National Cadets of St. Louis have decided to organize a militia company, and as soon as completed they will be mustered into the State's service. Capt. Loffnagen say that his company will not disband, nor has it had any intention of disbanding. It is his intention to form a company of about fifty members.

HOTEL PERSONALS.

E. E. Clark, Ogden, Utah; N. J. Thompson Little Rock; L. M. Shields, St. Paul, and T. W. Babcock, New York, are at the Laclede. R. B. F. Pierce, Arkadelphia; M. E. Serat, Kansas City; F. Copeland, Brooklyn; J. Hirsch, New York, and U. Lindeman, Boston, are at the Southern. R. B. Davis, Ft. Smith; W. Givens, Phila delphia; J. J. Philipps, Philadelphia; T. W. Babcock, New York, and Wm. Ross, Cincin-nati, are at the Lindell.

Wm. D. Oench, Jr., Jefferson City, Mo.; Frank Eberle, Omaha, Neb.; D. Baer, Chi-cago; Ill., and Wm. P. Van Aken, Kansas City, Mo., are at the Hotel Rozier-John W. Parks, Marshall, Tex.; Fred W. Clinch, Kansas City; N. Jolosch, Austin, Tex. John Turnbeil, Chicago; O. E. Robinson, Ottawa, Kan., and William Crawford, New York, are at Hurst's.

North St. Louis. J. M. Myers and bride have returned from a our of the South, and are now at home at No. 522 Hebert street. The members of St. Bridget's Council, K. F. M., will approach holy communion March 16 at St. Bridget's Church. Banner Lodge, Knights of Honor, will have musicale next Thursday night at its hall seton and Garrison avenues. Henry Schlueter of the Teutonia Singing Society and tenor of St. Xavier's Church has eturned from the Mardi-Gras festivities.

The Merchants' Bridge proper will be completed in the next two or three days. Thouly work that remains to be done is some

Fully 400 working men and their families at-tended an eight-hour mass-meeting at Den-ver, Colo., yesterday. A resolution declar-ing for eight hours was passed. A bill has passed the New York State Senate to compel nurses and midwires to report to the Health Department all infants whose eyes are reddened or infamed within two weeks of their birth; a fine of \$200 to be assessed on a failure to do so. This bill was introduced at the solicitation of the medical societies, who report a great increase in bilindness.

There's Room Enough for All.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Capt. Dick Falken berg, ex-scout in the Louis Riel Indian rebellion and long time a resident of various Western States, is the head of a scheme which has for its object taking up of government lands in the Siouz reservation recently thrown open to settlers. Under his guidance a party that will probably number close upon 200 will start in the course of week for Pierre, S. D.

Episcopal Missionary League.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 24.-The annual meet ing of the laymens' Episcopal Missionary League of Pennsylvania is in session here to-day, Bishop Whitehead, of this dio-

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATOR.

MARISSA, Ill., Feb. 24.—Burglars have been doing our town within the past week. Thursday night last they broke into the depot and stole \$25 worth of olgars, and pipes. Last night they broke into Henry Degan's shoe store and stole fifteen pairs of his men's finestables. Loss about \$40.

J. W. Sikes Indicted.

CHICAGO, ill., Feb. 24.—The Grand-jury this morning returned a new indictment against J. W. Sikes, the warehouse man, who was twice convicted of issuing fraudulent warehouse receipts. Sikes' second conviction was but recently set saide by the Supreme Court on account of a flaw in the indictment.

Reception to Bishop Galloway.

destroyed a block of buildings in the center of the town. Assistance was asked for but another dispatch stated the fire was under control.

Eight-Hour League. SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 24.—Yesterday afternoon an eight-hour league was formed here and officers were elected. The objects of the league is to circulate pamphlets and keep up the eight-hour agitation.

Many a Gingham Girl Is a Satin Wife. From the Lawrence American.

Many a broadcloth husband owes his position to the fact of his marrying a gingham

The Bridal Bulletin The following marriage licenses were granted Henry Johns...... Emma Gerner Michael Firsht ... 1247 N. 8th at 1247 N. 8th at

PURE 18-KT. GOLD WEDDING RINGS.

COR. BROADWAY & LOCUST ST. The following burial certificates were issued by the Health Department up to 3 p. m. to-day: Health Department up to 3 p. m. to-day:
Alice Wheeler. 2 months, Chicago, Ill.: diarrhea.
Josephine Boyd, 1 year, 782 South Tenth street; Josephine Boyd, 1 year, 732 South Tenth street, neningitis. Joseph Eckrich, 6 days, 2124 South Broadway Albert E. Robedoix, 2 years, 13 South Sixteenth reet; gastritis. Christina Gebhardt, 53 years, 3252 Morgan Ford ead; pneumonia. Ellen McCarthy, 46 years, 224 Lombard street; complaint. nan Hoydt, 30 years, 1838 Market street; epi-Herman Hout, 30 years, 2832 Laciede avenue; cerebral hemorrhage.
A. L. Stacey, 38 years, 1021 North Fourteenth street; consumption.
Mary Myler, 43 years, 1809 Division street; heart hemorrhage.
Mary Martin, 82 years, 1113 North Twenty-third street; old age.
Frederick Schuler, 37 years, 2300 Buena Vista street; congestion of lungs. treet; congestion of lungs. Edward Thoma, 2 months, 2640 Areenal street, Otto Albert, 6 months, 7132 North Broadway; Fred Ascack. 6 months, 1412 Monroe street; bronthe pneumonia.
William Stratman, 26 years, 5609 Pernod road;
tastro enteritis.
Dora Meyer, 40 years, 1114 South Fourth street; E. Edwards, 4 months, 3215 Olive street; Edna Edward, 4 months, 3215 Olive street; conof lungs.
Clark, 12 years, 2331 Madison street; ne. 69 years, 2728 Chestnut stroots gestion. looney, 27 years, Missouri Pacific Sallway John Darlinsky, 19 days, 1115 North Eleventh Timothy C. Kelleher, 24 years; 2820 Cass avenue; Fred Schinke, '53 years, City Hospital; con-

m Warsek, 38 years. 1513 South Eighth molonatic degeneration.

First Steps

When the idea of the peculiar combination, proportion and process of preparing Hoed's Sarsaparilla had been successfully worked out, the proprietors of the medicine went ahead slowly and carefully, but surely. They called the attention of a few Iriends to the new preparation, and invited trial and criticism. The reports were uniformly favorable and confirmed the belief of those who knew its composition that there was great merit in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It soon had an extended local reputation, and, notwithstanding powerful competition, in a few months it had a greater sale in Lowell than any other sarsaparilla or blood purifier, which popularity it maintains to the present day.

"My opinion of Hood's Sarsaparilla is that it is the best blood purifier in the market as the present time. I have a larger sale for it than all the other blood purifier combined."

A. L. Field, Apothecary, Lowell, Macs.

# STATE SUPREME COUR"

RESULT OF THE MANDAMUS SUIT OF THE ST. LOUIS LAFAYETTE PARK CLUB

e Ruling of the Secretary of State Set Aside—The Club May Incorporate With-out the Payment of a Tax—Decisions Rendered in Other Cases—To-Day's Pro-ceedings at Jefferson City.

y Telegraphto the Post-Disparch.
JEFFERSON CITA, Mo., Feb. 24.—The, mandamus suit instituted by the Lafayette Park Club of St. Louis against Secretary of State Lesueur was decided by Judge Black in the Court this morning, adverse to the ling of the Secretary of State. Last Novemander sect. 2,821 revised statutes, which provides for the incorporation of religious, benevolent, scientific and educational socieithout the payment of the corporation tax. The Secretary of State refused to grant a charter, holding that the stated objects of the association, namely, "educational," "amuseent," etc., were merely incidental to its rpose. The club soon after com-

ment, etc., were merely incidental to its real purpose. The club seen after commenced mandamus proceedings. In rendering the opinion of the court Judge Black says: "Some degree of liberality must be allowed in the formation of these associations where all pecuniary profit is excluded. These articles of association can stand on sec. 2821-25, and it is our opinion that the proposed association may be incorporated without the payment of the tax. A presumptory writ is thus awarded."

The courtlistened to arguments all forenoon in a case from Knox County which is of interest. In 188? the collector of Knox County, John P. Reed, defaulted, and there was due the State about \$14,000. The Auditor at once issued a distress warrant, and the securities sought to restrain the Auditor by injunction proceedings on the ground that the name of one security on the Collector's bond had been erased without the knowledge or consent of the other securities. The State then such the bondsmen directly and they entered the same plea as in the injunction proceeding. The case was argued several weeks ago, but the court asked the attorneys to reargue; it and confine themselves to the effect of the other securities, whether or not it affects the validity of the bond. Hon. James G. Blair appeared for the securities, and Hon. L. F. Cotty for the State. The total amount now involved is about \$20,000.

By Telegraph to the FOST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CIT, Mo., Feb. 24:-Supreme convened at 9 o'clock this morning. Judge Sherwoodwas absent. Opinions were H JUDGE RAY.

C. Briant, laintiff, vs. Martha Jackson

A. C. Briant, laintiff, vs. Martha Jackson et al., defendant Cass County; affirmed.

BY JDGE SHERWOOD:

J. W. Corder et al., appellant, vs. John R. Culbertson, respondent, Carroli County; reversed and remanded with directions for entering judgment for plaintiff.

F. G. Lambes, respondent, vs. B. Estis, appellant, Cap Girardeau County; reversed and remanded,

Mattle A. Bigham, appellant, vs. Michael Pelongharty it al., respondent, Jackson County; revessed and remanded with directions to ster judgment for plaintiff, Delongharty.

longharty.

Wm. Benn: appellant, vs. Mary Schnecks
et al. responents, St. Louis; reversed and
remanded, 4th directions to enter decree for plaintiff.

Harber Ashalt Paving Co., respondent, vs.
Mary C. Hut, appellant, St. Louis; affirmed.
Marie E. Thittemore et al. appellant, vs.
Supreme Ldge, etc., respondent, St. Louis;
affirmed.
Wm. H. Bonart, respondent, vs. Lucian C.
Chamberin, appellant, Clinton County;
affirmed.

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BY JUDGE BLACK.

State, respindent, vs. John Mayer, appellant, St Chales County; affirmed.

Win. Cook plaintiff in error, vs. Wm. Couch detendant, in error, Johnson County, affirmed.

State ex lel. Henderson et al. lators, vs. AA. Lesueur, Seen et al. ffirmed.
State ex rel. Henderson et al., reators, vs. Al. Lesueur, Secretary of State,
espondent mandamus awarded.
J. G. Briss, appellant, vs. Johnson County,
espondent Johnson County; reversed and Harley Vest, administrator, sppellant, vs. cy H. ryson, respondent; Cass County;

affirmed.

By JUDGE BRACE.

State exrel. J. W. Radeliffe et al., appellant, vs. jeo. Rateliffe, respondent, vs. County; sirmed.

Cisero rown, appellant, vs. Martin Welden et al., respondent; Davis County;

Burges et al., defendant, vs. Bowles, plaintif rehearing overruled.
Boilings County vs. McDowell; reversed and remaded.

and reminded.

Finley, ppellant, vs. St. Louis Refrigerator;
St. Louis reversed and remanded.

MINOR PROCEEDINGS.

State of rel Hall vs. J. M. Selbert, briefs to be filed fithin ten days or proceedings will be dismissed. dismissif.
John McDugall, respondent, vs. A. J.
Chape, appellant; petition of Gibson & Clopton, toke joined as co-plaintiff filed.
F. W Goode, et al., motion to advance

Chape applied as co-plaintiffs filed.

F. W. Goode, et al., motion to advance filed.

American L. & T. Co. of New York, appellant, vs. Chillicothe Water Gas & Electric LightCo., respondent; appeal dismissed by appelant.

L. & Kallas, respondent, vs. C. B. Lewis, appelant, St. Louis County; appeal dismissed by appellant.

Stue, respondent, vs. Geo. McNamara, appellant, Montgomery County; motion for rehearing overruled.

J. I. Spencer, et al., appellant, vs. M. C. pelimt, Montgomery County; motion for rehearing overruled.

J. I. Spencer, et al., appellant, vs. M. C.
O'Nell, respondent. St. Louis; motion to
modity order remanding cause overruled.
Saran J. Bradley, et al., respondent, vs.
John Welch, et al., appellant, Pettis County;
motion for rehearing overruled.
State, respondent, vs. J. R. Janders, appeliant, Davids County, two cases; transferred to Kansas City Court of Appeals.
State, appellant, vs. Wm. F. McGonigle,
administrator, et al., respondent, Knox
County; reargued and submitted.

In the matter of the appeals of the following parties against the State, namely, W. V.
Harben bi Butier County, J. N. Smithson of
Sullivar County, and W. P. Doyle of Maries
County, it is ordered by the court that unless
the docket fees are paid by March 10 the appeals will be dismissed.

Adjeurned till March 17.

SPLENDID OFFICES TO RENT. Lew prices. Mermod & Jaccard building, corner Broadway and Locust. Steam heated, two passenger and one freight elevator. Hammett, Andersone Wade, agents, room 201 in the building.

ALTON, ILL.

Street Paving - Church News - Building Boom-Notes.

At the last meeting of the City Council mittee was appointed to visit a number cities and inspect their street paving in rder to decide on the best material for pay emposed of Aldermen Neerman, Eible, and Gity Engineer Dickson, left-last night for Jacksonville and other cities. It is expected that the City Council at its next meeting will order the street paving.

A large audience assembled at the First lapits Church last night to listen to the address of Rev. Dwight Spencer of St. Louis on "Mormon Life." The lecture was very interesting.

otting.

One of the largest audiences of young men that has assembled in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. since they opened were there yesterday afternoon attending the praise service conducted by Mr. J. M. Logan. The work under the afficient direction of General Secretary W. W. Smith is rapidly growing in interest.

Work has been resumed in the Watson quarries along the line of the St. Louis, Alton & Epringfield Railroad, and it is thought that the limiting between Mr. Watson and this road

MAIDS AND BACHELORS. uring in the Mayor's Office-

Letters are still pouring in Mayor Noonan's office from marriageable men who are desirous of corresponding with the eight lonely maids who recently wrote to the Mayor complaining of the widows who snapped up the young men, leaving the unmarried ladies to go i alone. A few of the letters received to-day read as follows:

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 20.

Mayor Noonan:

DEAR SIR—I see by the papers that some of the maiden ladies of St. Louis have petitioned you to put a stop to the bachelors of your city marrying widows and save them for the maids. Now for a little fun, and perhaps also for the benefit of, some of these sweet maidens, I ask you to be so kind as to send me the names and addresses of them all if you still have the list of names, and if not please send as many as you can. I would like to correspond with all of them and perhaps call and see some of them after awhile as I expect to be in your city this spring. I send addressed and stamped envelope and I hope you will send the names. If I find one I like I will make her my wife, as I am a bachelor. Yours, O. W. H.

make her my wife, as I am a bachelor. Yours, and make her my wife, as I am a bachelor. Yours, and the make her my wife, as I am a bachelor. Yours, another letter written in wash blueing, evidently with a piece of cordwood for a pen, came from a person signing himself Charles B. Webb of 211 St. Mary's avenue, Fort Wayne, Ind. It runs in this style:

Mr. Noonan, Mayor City of St. Louis:

Inclosed please find newspaper article saying you are having a time of it with the old maids of St. Louis. Please send them the following address and I think that I can give you rest from one of them and find good partners for some more of them. My age is 35 years, height of see I il inches, blue eyes, brown hair, have a little money and a small yearly income. I want one under 35 years that has some property of her own.

some.

The letters from outside the city are accompanied in nearly every instance with a clipping from some daily or weekly paper, and Mayor Noonan gets so many of these letters in his mail that he now regrets that he made the letter sent to him by the maids, public.

SPECTACLES AND EYE-GLASSES Accurately fitted by the best opticians Prices, steel, \$1 and up; gold, \$5 and up. OPERA GLASSES.

The finest stock ever shown. Price, \$3.5 MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.

Broadway and Locust. Rev. Ball vs. the "Post,"

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 24.-Argument fo a new trial was heard by Judge Daniels Saturday in the celebrated libel suit of the Rev. Dr. Ball against the New York Evening Post. The plaintiff's lawyer took exceptions to the time of taking the evidence of one of the most important witnesses by the defendant, which was after the summing up of the case; also the fact that the summing up of the case; also the fact that the defendants' counsel in opening the case said that at least one man would be upon the jury who would know that some of the stories about Mr. Cleveland were false. The point was also made that an editorial in the Post of the 8th inst., to the effect that the paper would have been satisfied with a verdict of 1 cent damages. This the plaintiff's counsel claimed went to show that the defendant did not think the verdict was warranted by the evidence. Counsel for the Post made a strong argument in reply and Judge Daniels reserved his decision.

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 24. - The county com Issioners has informed Assistant Attorey-General Coffin that he would not get any fees from the county when those convicted failed to pay their fines. The exorbitant fees due Coffin are not due until the prisoner is released from jail by the County Commissioners. The board will not release him until the prisoner has paid his fine and cost of suit, or until Coffin gives the board a receipt for his fees. This is a feature which greatly disturbed the Assistant Attorney-General.

The sentence of imprisonment for one of the prisoners Coffin had by chance convicted expired to-day, and his fees on conviction for seiling four glasses of beer were \$100, and he went to the county building with his head thrown back for his fees, demanding a check from the County Commissioners. The answer took him by surprise. fees from the county when those convicted

# An Oplum Eater's End.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 24.—At Crab Orchard yesterday died E. S. Stephenson of Telanus, esulting from oplum poisoning. Stephenson resulting from oplum poisoning. Stephenson is of excellent family, and was to be married two years ago to a wealthy and beautiful girl of that section. His wedding was delayed on account of a report that he was an oplum ester. Gradually he grew worse and was finally sent to the asylum at Lexington. He was released recently upon the supposition that he was cured. When he returned to his home he found that he could not be trusted at once to marry, and soon fell into his own habits.

Will Stop the Noise

Secretary George Baumhoff of the Lindell Railway was in consultation with Mayor Noonan this morning on the subject of the complaints of the noise made by the complaints of the noise made by the workmen engaged at nights on Washington avenue changing the rails for the electric system. Mr. Baumhoff said it was impossible to relay the steel rails along Washington avenue without working at night on account of the immense traffic on that thoroughfare during the day. He said the employes would be kept from lond talking, and that no rails would be dropped or spiking done until after 6 o'clock in the morning. The lighter and noiseless work will be done through the night.

The Council and House meet to-morrow vening.
The House Committee on Sanitary Affairs The House Committee on Sanitary Affairs will meet Wednesday afternoon to hear arguments on the dairy inspection bill.

W. H. Genmig, Ghief Smoke Inspector of Chicago, writes to Mayor Noonan to ascertain if there is a smoke prevention ordinance in force in this city. Mayor Noonan wrote him that an ordinance of that kind was pending in the Assembly.

President Flad of the Board of Public Improvements and Mr. Matiack, the Supervisor of Public Lighting, will decide this evening when and where the tests of the Wood high tension and Jenny low-tension electric lighting systems will be made.

Photos of Bables and children made by Scholten were awarded highest prize Paris Exposition, 1889.

College Lacrosse. NEW YORK, Feb. 24 .- The Inter-Collegiate Lacrosse Association met Saturday at the Sturtevant House. Lehigh University, Stephens Institute and Princeton College were represented. The Johns Hopkins University was admitted to membership. The resignation of Harvard was accepted. The championship of 1889 was awarded to Princeton, Mr. E. S. Lewis of Princeton was elected president for the ensuing year.

An Immigration Convention.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparcu. ABILENE, Kan., Feb. 24.—A county immigration convention was held Saturday after noon, delegates from all portions of the coun-try being present. Eastern emigrants will be sought by means of agents and advertising.

Crushed Between Cars.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparce.

MATTOON, Ill., Feb. 24.—Robert W. Smith was instantly killed in the yards of the Peorla, Decatur & Evansville Rallway last night, his head having been crushed between a lumber car and a box bar. It is not known that he has any relatives.

Joplin Zine and Load Output

# Special Sale of Kid Gloves At 65 Cents a Pair.

We will place on Sale tomorrow morning 100 dozen Ladies' 4-Button Undressed Kid Gloves; in street shades of tans and browns, all sizes; these are nice goods, perfect shape, well made and finished with La Tosca embroidery, regularly \$1 a pair. This lot will be closed out at 65c cents a pair.

We will include with above lot the entire balance of the 4-Button Glace Kid Gloves, formerly sold at \$1, all at one price this week, only 65 cents a pair.

# THE GERMAN ELECTIONS.

PROBABLE POLITICAL COMPLEXION OF THE NEXT PARLIAMENT.

The Strike Amnesty Proposition Defeated in the French Chambers—Interment of Mr. Biggar's Remains-Home Ruler Returned From Waterford-The "Queen" and the "President" Toasted at Toronto-Foreign News.

BERLIN, Feb. 24 .- Only seventy-four seats have yet been secured in the new Reichstag the Cartel parties. The relative strength of the parties is as follows:

Imperialiasts..... National Liberal... The Conservative leader, Helldorf, is defeated; Puttkamer is re-elected.

The Queen and the President.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 24.-The Law and Order change its name to the International Law and Order League, and it may now include leagues of the different provinces in Canada as well as the leagues of several States of the Union. At a the langues of several States of the Union. At a the several States of the Union States. The first was responded to by the company singing "God Save the Queen," and the Order was responded to by Consul Pope of Toronto. The speakers of the evening were President of the United States. The Freshold of Montreal, and Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education of Ontario. The last named gentleman welcomed the falmerican delegates to Toronto and said. "I am glad the League centers of population in commerce—Chicago, responded at this gathering, and that these vast clies will-speak to us on the subject in which we are all interested. I am glad, "too, the Minister added, "that this meeting is held on Washington's birthday. I suppose our American delegates to will-speak to us on the subject in which we are all interested. I am glad, "too, the Minister added, "that this meeting is held on Washington's birthday. I suppose our American delegates took will-be and the United States. We believe, too (and this roman's conservative enough to believe that Canada is just a shade better than the United States. We believe, too (and this roman's conservative enough to believe that Canada is just a shade better than the United States. We believe, too (and this roman's conservative enough to believe that Canada is just a shade better than the United States. We believe that Canada is just a shade better than the United States. We believe, too (and this roman's conservative enough to believe that Canada is just a shade better than the United States. We believe that Canada is just a shade better than the United States. We believe the Canada is just a shade better than the U League of the United States has decided to change its name to the International Law and

Mr. Biggar's Remains Interred.

BELFAST, Feb. 24 .- The remains of Mr. Biggar were interred at Carnmoney to-day. A large number of friends and sympathizers atnellite members of the House of Common

The Amnesty Proposition Defeated.

PARIS, Feb. 24 .- An animated debate took ace in the Chamber of Deputies to-day on the motion submitted by MM. Proust Dumay and Fefferin, on behalf of the Radicals in favor of amnesty for all persons found gulty in taking part in offenses in connection with strikes during the past decade. The Govern-ment opposed the motion and it was finally defeated by a vote of \$25 to 190.

He Carried a Pistol. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 24.-The son of R. D. Morier, the British Ambassador, was wounded

Denounced by Chamberlain.

LONDON, Feb. 24.-Mr. Chamberlain, letter to the Times, denounces the new com-pact of the Gladstonians for the purchase of

Parnellite votes by the abandonment of the principle of undenominational education in favor of the Catholics. LONDON, Ont. Feb. 24 .- The body of 'Squire

LONDON, Ont. Feb. 24.—The body of 'Squire Bamlet G. Slitton, who has been missing for a week, was found to night in Medway Creek. The 'Squire was one of the oldest settlers of these parts, and his descendants are scattered far and wide in Canada and the United States. As he had considerable money on his person it is supposed he was foully dealt with. The location of the body was revealed by a female clair-voyant, who also stated that two of the men engaged in dragging the creek had murdered the 'Equire.

Foreign Gleanings Of the original order of 400,000 Mauser rifles, e making of which the Turkish government he making of which the Turkish government contracted for in Germany, 120,000 have already been delivered and the remainder are well under way.

The Salvation army riot growing out of the conbibition by the Swiss Government of Salvation Army meetings in any part of the Consistion Army meetings in any part of the Consistent Army meetings in any part of the Consistent Army may be deed the law. In the fights which have taken place many element flavs been injured and a number of the Salvation is any been arready. With N. E. Cor. Broadway and Washington Avenue.

These Beautiful, Stylish Accordion Pleated Skirts Made of imported French Cashmeres and English Brilliantines. All Colors! All Sizes! --ONLY-

\$6.00.

GARMENTS.

good prospect of their imprisonment for long good prospect of their imprisonment for long terms.

Heavy snowfalls prevail throughout Sicily. In many parts of the country the early spring crops have been totally destroyed and the resultant distress, which must last for several months, has already begun. In addition to the damage already sustained, the people are fearful that avalanches may occur and are fleeing to places of safety, leaving everything behind them that has not become prey to the wind and snow.

The Roumanian Government has decided to ask the Russian Government to recall M. Hetrivo, Russian Minister to Roumanis, on account of his implication in the plots against Prince Ferdinand.

The Brussels Anti-Slavery Society has been authorized by the Congo Free State to equip and send to Africa an expedition which shall co-operate in the effort to suppress the African slave trade.

BAILBOAD NEWS.

Rates on Freight Going to Georgia Points -Beer and Liquor Figures.

The ratesito Americus, Ga., have been raised 242 cents per barrel on flour, and 2 cents per 100 pounds on flour in sacks; beef and pork and salt in bulk, I eent per 100 pounds higher than heretofore. The rate to Albany, Ga., has been reduced I cent per 100 pounds on beer, and empty beer barrels and kegs.

The classification to Albany, Ga., is governed by the Southern Railway & Steamship Association, and places liquors as follows:

"Liquors, whisky, domestic brandles and domestic wines, in wood, at actual weight, owner or srisk of leakage, value limited to 75 cents per gallon and so indorsed on bill of lading."

Class H. The rate has been reduced 25 cents per 100 pounds from Memphis via the Memphis & Charleston, and the rate from St. Louis its reduced accordingly. Whisky in wood, N. O. S. actual weight, has been reduced 30 cents per 100 pounds, and liquors in wood, The rates on all classes to points on the Kockuk & Western have been reduced 33½ per cent from St. Louis, effective February 21, 1890.

Mr. P. Hansen has been appointed agent of salt in bulk, 1 cent per 100 pounds higher

Mr. Snider's Lecture on Shakspeare. The sixth lecture in the course on Shakspeare's histories was given by Mr. D. J. Sul-der at the Stoddard Kindergarten, Lucas and Ewing avenues. The subject was "Richard

der at the Stoddard Kindergarten, Lucas and Ewing ayenues. The subject was "Richard II." The lecturer said:

In this play, as well as in "King John," there is a king deposed, and we catch a glimpse of the poet's political sentiments. He was not a radical, for he believed in kingship, yet, on the other hand, he did not believe in divine right, for he clearly indicates that kings csn be deposed for good cause. There in he represents the general thought and belief of Englishmen in all ages. There is no doubt that "Richard II." is a revolutionary play, and we may with truth say that its fundamental theme is the right of revolution. The whole action is essentially the story of a king who loves the attributes of kingship and in consequence loses his crown. Though Richard asserts the divinity of his office and its superiority to any human control, he is, nevertheless, hurled from his throne by the people of Eugland. He wronged the subject, who happened to be a man of influence, courage and political wisdom; he undermined the same law by which his throne was upheld. The logic of his deed is brought home to him. Richard is a weak, effeuinate, sensuous nature, but he has one trait which makes him interesting and gives relief to the dark picture of his life. He is a poet. Not that he makes verses, but his fancy his the profusion and brilliancy of a tropical garden. The deeper he sinks into deepair the brighter become his words. The spiritual necessity is obvious; he must find alleviation from his misfortune by casting it out of himself into images.

Bolingbroke is the anoble subject who the Ring has wronged, and who makes himself King to undo the wrong. Bolingbroke is the master of political duty. He has a conscience, yet his conscience is forever conflicting with his statecraft and yielding to the necessities of his station. His great function in this historical series is, after being the successful rebel, to put down rebellion and bring England back to order. This we shall see him do in the next jecture, which will be o

Rev. John Snyder delivered the first of a series of sermons last evening at the Church of the Messlah on "The Evolution of Christianity." It used to be the prevailing



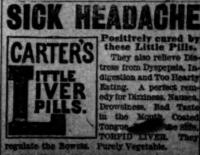
AMUSEMENTS.

Opening Bills at All the Theaters-Clar

Opening Bills at All the Theaters—Clara Morris and her company arrived this morring from Kanas City, where they have played a unceased engagement. Miss Morris is in excellent health and has been qu'ying ever strong performance during the season. She opens to night in her great success, "I will be the strong performance during the season. She opens to night in her great success," A title of," in which she appears as Cora. The title of," in which she appears as Cora. The title of," in which she appears as Cora. The title of," in which she appears as Cora. The title of," is which she appears as Cora. The title of," in which he spears as Cora. The title of," is which as the spears as Cora. The title of," is which as the spears as Cora. The title of," is which as the spears as Cora. The title of," is which as the spears as Cora. The title of," is which as the spears of the spears and the wife of Corant Vialdinity and the spears and the wi

News' runs through the week, with Wednes day and Saturday matinees.

The Standard had standing room only for



# TIME TABLE

Of Trains Running Into Union Depot-St. Louis Time.

Except Sundays; †Dally; †Except Saturday; ‡Except BURLINGTON ROUTE.

TRLINGTON ROUTE-ST. L., K. & NW. H. R. Haul, Cedar Rapids and Harlington Express. 9:20 am 5:55 pm Johnser, Lincoln, Omaha, Kan-sas City, St. Joseph and Cali-† 8:10 pr Paul buque, Omaha and penver typres. Lincoln and Benver Express. 18:15 pm 2 5:20 pm MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD.

ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY

Fast Express 7:55 am † 6

Jacksonville Accom 4:45 pm \* 10

& Boston Fast Exp. 6:55 pm † 7

light Express 8:10 pm † 7 

ST. LOUIS & HANNIBAL.

VANDALIA LINE ennsylvania Special, daily... \$:10 am ay Express, daily.... \$:40 am ... Y. Balt. & Wash. Exp., daily theinaut Express, daily... \$:00 pm hicago Night Express, daily... \$:00 pm hicago Express, exc. Sunday... \$:40 am dianapolis Accord., exc. Sun. 11, 35 am indiu. Day Express, daily... \$:10 am mngham Accom., daily... 5:30 pm

OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY. 10 hours to Cin. & Lou.; 4 solid trains. Sleepers to Cin., Lou., Wash., Balt., Phil. and New York.

Cin., Loui., wash., Est., Fini. and New York.
Incinnati & Louisville Accom. \* 6:50 am \* 7:30 pm
In ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phila. and New York.
Incinnati Express
Incinnati Louisville, Wash.,
Balt., Phila. and New York.
Balt., Phila. and New York.

Balt., Phila. and New York. CLEVELAND, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS RAHAWAY—"BIG FOUR ROUTE." Only line landing passengers in Grand ot, New York, via Lake Shore Railway.

CHICAGO, ALTON & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.

Mt. Vernon Accommodation | 7:50 am | 7:10 am Southern Fast Mail | 7:50 am | 7:45 pm Mt. Vernon Accommodation | 7:50 pm Mt. Vernon Accommodation | 10:45 am | 1:50 pm Southern Fast Line | 7:35 pm | 7:25 am LOUISVILLE & ST. LOUIS "AIR LINE."
(L. E. & ST. L. CON. R. R.) Louisville Day Express .... | 7:50 am | 7:45 pm Louisville Night Fast Line ... | 7:35 pm | 7:25 am

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY. Docal Express
Washington Accommodation.

Sansas City, Omaha, Lincoln,
Southern and Galveston Ex.;
Southern and Galveston Ex.;
Sansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and Wichita Fast Line.;
Ransas City, St. Joseph, Colorado and Taxas Express...;
St. Louis, IRON MOUNTAIN & SOUTHERN.

St. Louis, IRON MOUNTAIN & SOUTHERN.

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & KANSAS CITY R. R. ST. LOUIS, ARKANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY. 

ST. LOUIS, ALTON & SPRINGFIELD R. B. (Bluff Line, via Big 4) rafton and Elsah Express . | 7:15 am | 5:45 pm erseyville and Springdeid Ex | 4:20 pm | 11:45 am

RIVER TRANSPORTATION. LOWER MISSISSIPPI. and Cape Girardeau Tri-Weeksy Packet.

Str. IDLEWILD. O. G. KEITH, Master, ROBT, TAYLOR, C. Leves MONDAYS, WEDNESD, and PRIDAYS at 4 p. m. for ardeau and all way landings. Lowest rates, then only 4.



PENNYROYAL PILLS

TERMS OF THE DAILY. ge paid, every afternoon and Ill confer a favor upon us by repo POST-DISPATCH.

FOREIGN.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

on Office, 32 Cockspur Street, Charing Cross MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1890. AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT

LYMPIC-Clara Morris. BRAND OPERA-HOUSE-"The Extles," PLE'S-"Good News." STANDARD-Hyde's Specialty Co.

hours, commencing at 8 a.m. to-day for Missouri: Fair; colder; cold wave in western portion. Weather forcast for twenty-four commencing at 8 a. m. to-day. for St. Louis: Fair; colder.

Weather forecast for twenty-four

THE World's Fair news from Washington to-day is more interesting than cheer-

St. Louis may lose the World's Fair, but St. Louis has lost nothing by the fight made to secure it.

THE bids for the Alaska fisheries monopoly prove that there has been plenty of boodle in the sealing privileges in the past.

THE popularity of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH as a want advertising medium was demonstrated in a most convincing

THE Senate bill to provide for forffications and other seacoast defenses is a good bill to watch for jobs. It contemplates the appropriation of \$123,000,000.

THE Chicago Tribune remarks: "CHAUN-CEY DEPEW is a biger man 'n ole CLEVE- the army to do his dirtiest menial work. LAND." But it is dollars to doughnuts that he cannot poll near as many votes in

THE twenty-eight pages of yesterday's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH were replete with norant commonalty. Of course the "ignteresting news and bright, readable special articles. They were not duplicated the mass of the people. This is the natnor squaled by any other newspaper in ural view of royalty and aristocracy. this country.

given the want advertisers in the SUNDAY vote for their own interests they are re-"Anxiously Waiting." It is not only a endangering society. But Germany canlovely work of art, but it is a solemn not take a step backward now and supwarning of the condition of want adver- pressive measures will only give added tisers who advertise in the other papers.

THE recent revelations of the horrors the civilized world to take the Czar's in-

by wrecking saloons. They should pay forced against offending saloon-keepers. proper solution of the unlawful GLADSTONE. saleon trouble.

monize in one man.

THE agricultural situation in a nutshell is that the prices of wheat and corn are only low in comparison with the prices of tutionality of the new quorum rule in the other necessities. The farmers must sell Supreme Court is wise. A Supreme Court their grain for what it can command in decision on the subject would forever setthe free trade market of England, where the question one way or the other. But everything is cheap, and then exchange will Speaker REED and his party give the money they receive there for goods, them the opportunity by seeing a quorum the prices of which are artificially forced in order to pass an important measure? up by protective tariff taxes. When the Whether they will or not affords a fair farmers compel Congress to thoroughly test of the genuineness of their belief in revise and reduce the tariff taxes they the propriety of the rule. will be able to get a fair exchange in goods for their crops.

THE opposition of the Georgia Democrats dence. It should be in the hands of the to the appointment of a negro postmaster | State's attorney for safe keeping. The at Athens gives WANAMAKER an opportu- failure to produce it in court in the exact nity to pose as a persecuted but firm and role champion of the negro's right to a the shooting would be a damaging conbars in the Federal patronage down fession on the part of the defense. Even

the negroes, who cast nearly all the A SWINDLER UNMASKED. it is probable that the same proportion holds throughout the South.

SATURDAY was a business holiday and was marked by unpleasant weather and sloppy streets. These circumstances affected the want advertisements of the two leading Sunday papers yesterday, and the want columns of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH, while measuring the same in volume, show by actual count 1.182 wants as against 1,225 the preceding Sunday, while the Globe-Democrat. with two and a half columns less in measurement, shows s count of 1,582 want ads against 1,647 the previous week. For the corresponding Sunday last year the figures were: the POST-DISPATCH, 566; Globe-Democrat, 1,240. The SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH has more than doubled its want ads in a year, while the Globe-Democrat with twenty years the start and with a previous est

## A PRIVATE'S RIGHTS.

President HARRISON'S order disapprov ing the action of the court-martial in the case of Private WILD and remitting the unexecuted portion of thesentence is good as far as it goes, but it should have gone further.

In declaring the punishment excessive it apparently assumes that some punishment should be inflicted on any private who refuses to render any personal service his Lieutenant may order him to perform outside of his military duty. It also expresses a mild surprise that the Lieutenant was detailed to act as Judge-Advocate of the court-martial instead of being himself arraigned for cursing and knocking down the private. But it does not order that the Lieutenant shall yet be tried for his brutality to the private, or that any proceedings shall be instituted against other officers for their misconduct in the affair.

It was a fine opportunity for an order from headquarters on the extent to which officers may make personal servants or slaves of their men, and it is to be regretted that the President's order in this case can be construed as conceding the right of a lieutenant to compel enlisted men in

THE German Emperor may take the view of the Socialist gains suggested by the British aristocratic organ that it is unsafe to extend the franchise to the ignorant commonalty" is meant to include They are willing to give the people the opportunity to vote as long as the people vote THE beautiful picture which will be for their interests, but when the people POST-DISPATCH of next week is entitled garded as abusing their privileges and violence to later popular movements.

existing in Siberian prisons will enable SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH presented strong THE London cablegram in yesterday's indications of the early overthrow of the dignation at Turkish atrocities visited Tory Government. If blunders in politics upon Christians for what it is worth. The deserve defeat the Tory party has earned Czar may be able to use this indignation it. An appeal to the country at this time as excuse for further aggression, but he would present a most interesting situation as showing what effect the Government THE crusaders of Spickardfville have mistakes have had upon popular opinion been fined \$5 each for violating the law and what has been accomplished by the vigorous educational campaign of the their fines and insist on the law being en. Liberals and Parnellites. The general impression undoubtedly is that Home If the officials refuse to do this they should Rule would score a substantial victory elect officials who will do it. This is the under the brilliant leadership of Mr.

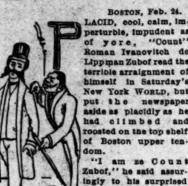
Boss Platt has turned his massive in-The attempt of Postmaster-General tellect on the World's Fair and has de-WANAMAKER to pose as the victim of a livered himself of several opinions. One Southern boycott beause of his appoint- is that there will be no World's. Fair in ment of negro postmasters would be more | 1892 as it will be postponed to a later date. successful if the appointments were made | Another is that New York will get the on a disinterested basis of fitness. But fair because the adherents of St. Louis the appointments are said to be in the line | will at once recognize the impossibility of of wire-pulling which is expected to land | combatting New York | now that PLATT is the next Republican presidential nomina- willing for New York to have it and will tion in the hands of Mr. WANA- cast its votes for the metropolis. Boss MAKER'S friend HARRISON. The roles of PLATT is mistaken. He is a great man in shrewd politician and martyr do not har- New York, but his 100-ton say-so there is a toy pistol out this way.

THE determination of the Democratio members of the House to test the consti-

THE overcoat which VAIL wore when his wife was shot is an important piece of evicondition in which it was at the time of Hence the noise made over this one | the retention of it by VAIL or his attorneys is to some extent a nullification of their

THE LATEST IDOL OF BOSTON'S BEST SO CIETY COMPLETELY SHATTERED.

A Bogus Count With a Lotty Alias Exposed -Graduating From an Irish Prison, He Dazzles Money From the Pockets of Tondys to Titles-An Ignominious Cli-



perturble, impudent as man Ivanovitch de Lippman Zubof read the terrible arraignment of maelf in Saturday's New York WORLD, but put the newspaper aside as placidly as he had climbed and roosted on the top shelf of Boston upper tened on the top shelf "I am ze Count

work of my perse-

The festive little Russian fitted and fluttered here and there, inwardly excortating the lib erty of the press, as exemplified by the greatest of journals. The Count had been in print before, at the time of that epimonopoly of this branch of advertising is sode with his creditors in Dublin, which landed him in a jail and branded him as a man to steer clear of. Blandly, plausiblyalmost convincingly—he had explained to his Roston friends about that 'unfortunate incl. dent' in an otherwise spotless life. But this time his story wouldn't swallow. The score tened, anywhere from \$50 to \$250 each, wanted What are you? Whence came Prove what you say. We'll forgive you if you only pay us what you owe us. But the "Count" had no reply.

But the "Count" had no reply.

ON THE RACK.

In Lawyer Ayres' Pemberton Square office to-day Zubof was bidden to appear and tell his story. Messrs. Ayres and partners, Hodges & Day, besides several others who had "accommodated" the Russian with timely loans when he was "waiting for remittances from Russia," were on hand. For several hours they put the screws of interrogation to him, and gave him every opportunity to clear himself of suspicion. Zubof, or rather Mr. Lippman, wouldn't talk the most of the time. He insisted that he was Zubof, and had a right to wear the title of Count. He couldn't prove this at once, but he could do so later, he said. Those present told him that the case made out in the World lett only the conclusion that he was an imposter. However, Mr. Ayres, who discounted the note due on Monday for \$250, benevolently informed the Russian that he would give him a chance to prove his identity. Society, of course, is shocked, awfully shocked. No social sensation ever caused such an upheavail. You couldn't buy a Workly two hours after the train got to town. The hotel news stands were besieged by the people who wanted to read the plain, unvarnished facts about the instinuating little chap who had make such a furor in the first circles.

"ITOLD TOU SO." ON THE RACK.

the first.' Said a weil-khown seases of save german.

"I took a streng dislike to him, and he often asked why I was so reserved with him. I met him in Lung's this noon, but as I supposed he was in his usual condition of insolvency and wanted to borrow some more money, I took sudden leave. I told him, however, it would be wise for him to read to-day's WORLD, and I soon saw he was buried in the depths of the romance of which he was the central figure. I have seen Zubof half a dozen times dining here or elsewhere, but some one else invariably paid the checks."

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one else invariably paid the checks."

In some quarters judgment on Zubbie is suspended until ist. Petersburg can be cabled and full particulars about the "distinguished Russian author." as he has been styled, can be secured. The glamour of title, too, still hangs over him like a halo. The first impression was in favor of running him out of town, but some conservative people considered it might be best after all to cable to Russia, and the result was a batch of telegrams which soon went ticking under the ocean. For the benefit of these conservative friends of the alleged Count the following telegram received here on Tuesday by Assistant Vice-Consul Wiman from the Russian Consulate in New York is given:

"We are not awars of any body of that

literary subjects. It mot every Saturday night, and all shades of political mought were represented in the discussions. Lippman, who then pretended to no title, was sindying law at the university. It was understood that he was the son of a priest of the Greek Church at one of the Russian frontier points. His means were very small, and the university professors, in order to aid him, obtained engagements for him to lecture on political subjects. After a time he got to borrowing money and finally was detected steading clothing from the rooms of students. At last he was arrested at the instance of a pawhroker for obtaining money

Russia's Minister Don't Know Him,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24. -The WORLD' expose of the young man who has been working the "tony" people of Boston under the name of Count Roman Ivanovitoh De Lippman Zubof of Russia, attracted considerable attention in Washington. The town is laughing over the guilibility of the fine people of Boston and nobody enjoys the joke better than Baron Rosen, the charge d'affairs of the Russian Legation here. The Baron was all smiles when the Post-Disparch correspondent called on the legation this evening. He had read the story and was amused. "The Zubofs of Russia are certainly very good people." he expose of the young man who has been workread the story and was amused. "The Zubots of Russia are certainly very good people," he said, "but I don't think any of them have ever been in this country. I feel certain that none of them are here now. About the person who has been masquerading in Boston, I cannot sav anything except that if a member of the Zubof family had been in Boston so long we, at the legation, would certainly have known of it, and we have been in utterignorance of the fact until we read the World to-day."

The Next Work of Art That Will Be Given to Our Sunday "Want" Advertisers.

From Yesterday's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. The good work goes on, and to-day w present to our patrons "the fourth work of art in our "want" advertisement picture gallery. We always aim to pleased, and in the case of 'want' patrons w sides we hear remarks like the following: "If answered put them in the SUNDAY POST-DIS ple," and "I got more answers from me DISPATCH than I ever did by advertising in

any other paper," and so on.

The gain in our "want" advertisements is sufficient proof of the way it pays the advertiser to state what he wants in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. In one year we have mude: gain of nearly 100 per cent. On Sunday, Feb. ruary 15, 1889, the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH published 653 want advertisements. On Sun day, February 16, 1890, it published 1,225.

The picture we shall present to our "want" atrons next Sunday is a most charming work of art. It is entitled "Anxiously Waiting. It represents a beautiful girl waiting at a gar den gate for some one. Who that some one is be her sweetheart. The painting of which one and is always much admired. The enraving has long been one of the most popu ar pictures in the art market. It is about two eet long by a foot and a half wide and is quite the best picture the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH has been able to offer its "want" patrons. Remember this choice picture will be given

o all "want" advertisers in the SUNDAY POST- DISPATCH of March 2. Another fact to bear in mind is that it makes most desirable companion picture to 'Alone at Last' that was given to our

The same arrangement with the American mains in force, and they will frame these pict cents upwards, and in white and silver at \$1.25. With the white and eliver frame goes an elegant easel. Remember all want adver of next Sunday (March 2) get this

picture. FOUND IN AN ALMS-HOUSE. trange Story of the Reunion of Brother and

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. NEW YORK, Feb. 24 .- A strange story is that Henry Blinn, brother and sister, after a separation of over half a century. Mr. Easton

and are inclined to think it is a nom deplume At the Russian Vice-Conur's office he are to the Winnas asked of those making the inquiry was I have you they convert the theory of the Conur's the Conu

ARRESTED IN CHURCH.

BURKE BROCCHUS, A BOARDING HOUSE THIEF, CAPTURED WHILE AT PRAYER

Professions of Christianity Not Supports by Correct Practices-The Fastidious Boarder and the Landlady's Ghoulish Glee-Mrs. Appel's Watch and Diamond Ring Becovered-Supposed Robbers is the Book Church.



N arrest was made shortly before 11 o'clock yesterday morning in Rev. Dr. Brank's Central Presbyteria: Church, Garrison and Lucas avenues, during the progress of the Sunday-uchool services.

was created in church would be putting the more hubbub for the reason that the person ous member of the congregation and the Treasurer of the Society of Christian Endeavor of that congregation. The capture was made by Detectives Harrington and Gaffney of the Fifth District, and their victim

MR. BURKE BROCCHUS. a young man of education and prominence.

The officers walked in the church just as the
Sunday school classes were about to be dis-

missed, and found the young man they had been seeking deeply absorbed in the exercises. They stepped up to him quietly and tapping him on the shoulder asked if he was not Mr. Brocchus. He replied in the affirmative, and immediately changed color, realizing apparently that something was wrong. "We are police officers," whispered Harrington, "and you must accompany us to the Fifth District Station." The prisone is a young man who has just turned his 21st year, then became very nervous, and looking at the officers appealingly, said: "I don't piece of paper around one of his fingers and inst as he started out with the officers threw the paper on the The officers did not then understand the significance of the move, but they did an hour or two later.

did not then understand the significance of the move, but they did an hour or two later. The Sunday-school classes were filing out of the church at the time and the eyes of nearly all present rested on the young man and his captors. He was taken to the station, where he was told he had been arrested because there were strong reasons to believe that he had stolen a ladles' gold watch and a fine diamond ring, the property of Mrs. J. F. Appel, residing at 2908 Pine street. Instead of making a prompt reply Brocchus broke down completely and sobbed like a child. A few minutes later he admitted to Capt. Fruchte that he had stolen the jewelry, but said that he was driven to the act by necessity.

The causes leading up to his arrest, and in one of the leading churches of the city at that, were these: Ten days ago Mr. Appel, who is a stock dealer, living with his wife at Mrs. Hunter's fashlonable boarding-house at 2908 Pine street, discovered that his wife's gold watch and chain and a ring studded with seven diamonds, which had been in her family for three generations, had been stolen. He reported the matter to Capt. Fruchte, and said he was particularly anxious to get the ring as his wife regarded it as a family heirloom. Detectives Harrington and Gaffney were assigned to work on the case, and making inquiries learned that Mrs. Hunter had in her employ a colored servant named Thomas Henderson. This was a week from last Saturday, the day after Mr. Appel missed the jewelry. The officers learned that Henderson had arranged to go to the country the day following, ostensibly to see his brother, and they considered this fact of sufficient importance to warrant his arrest. They took him to the station that evening, and he was locked up, notwithstanding his protestations to finnocence. He spent all night and part of the next day behind the bars, and was then released, as no new evidence had developed against him. The officers then learned that

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Brocchus. Brocchus had told the occupants
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of Gilkerson & Sloss, the cotton dealers. He
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The officers learned of these facts and concluded that it would be well to watch the young man. Saturday evening they ascertained that the stolen watch that be sold to a down-town jeweler and the description of the seiler tailled with Brocchus. They looked for him Saturday evening, but could find no trace of him. They learned from Mrs. Hunter that he had left because he did not like the color of the table linen on that day. Yesterday morning they learned that Brocchus professed to be a very devout Christian and that he attended Dr. Brank's church regularly. They reached the church before the services were at an end, and found the man they wanted sitting in a pew in a

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They arrested him, and in their hurry to get him out did not investigate his action in throwing a piece of paper to the foor.

They returned to the church later and found that the sexton had just finished sweeping the floor and that he has picked up many scraps of paper and had throwarthen in the wastebasket. They examined the contents of the basket and found the diamond ring in one of the scraps. They took it to the station, where it was identified by Mr. Appel. The prisoner then told the police of the watch transaction, but stoutly denied that he had used a portion of the proceeds towards paying his board. He had liquidated that claim, he said, by borrowing \$30 from a friend.

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The acrest of Brocchus was a great surprise to the occupants of Mrs. Hunter's house, as no one suspected that he would do such a thing, considering him a young gentleman of means and a devout Christian. Mrs. Hunter was not east down, however, to any great extent by his arrest, as she did not like his aliusion to her table linen. The negro Henderson was particularly pleased, as he did not like the suspicion of gulit that had rested on him. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Hunter did something that smacked strongly of ghoulish glee, but she may nos have intended it as such. She sent her servant, Henderson, to the station with a small package of face powder and a nets which read as follows:

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Captain:

Tell my "fastidious" boarder that I am sorry he has changed his boarding-house. He did not fike color of my linen. How does he like it at his new boarding-house?

The colored servant explained that hirs. Hunter had sent the powder because Brocchus had asked her for some last friday.

Brocchus is a tall young man of fine address. He came here a year or so ago from Fort Smith, Ark., where his parents now reside. He speaks like a person of education and refinement, and is prostrated over his arrest.

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BETWEEN HIS SOBS
he said to a POST-DISPATCH reporter that he did not care for himself, but he greatly regretted his arrest on account of his family, and the fact that he was taken out of a Christian church, while attending to his devotions. He said he greatly regretted it on account of the church and his many warm friends in it, that the news of his arrest in such a place had become known. He sobbed violently and said that he had never been in a prison before and he would never be in one again. He speaks with a strong Southern accent and says his family resided in that section for generations and had been quite weathy previous to the war. He said he regretted that the colored servant Henderson had been arrested and looked up for the theft, and added that if the police had not liberated him when they did he would have come to the front and told all.

at the 10 o'clock mass at the Rock Church Rov. Father Brown announced that the loss of a lady's gold watch and two pocketbooks had Rev. Father Brown amounted that the loss of a lady's gold watch and two pocketbooks had been reported to him. One of the pocketbooks contained a note for \$300 and \$13 in cash. The other contained about \$20. Later in the day the loss of another pocketbook containing a small amount of money was reported and the fathers then concluded that pick-pockets had been in the church during the service. Brc. Cadzetan, who has charge of the office in the priest's house, and to whom the losses were reported, did not take the names of any who had sustained them. He told them to call around to-day and see whether the loss artcless had been returned. The lady was form Chicago, and had only been in the city a few days. She did not feel the watch being taken from her pocket and thought that she might have lost it. She remembered looking at its couple of squares from the church while on her way to mass.

This morning the pocketbook containing the 5000 and \$13 in cash were returned by the little girl who had found it in the pew. It belonged to Mrs. R. J. McClean. The other two pocketbooks and the watch are still missing and it may be that a plekpocket really was in in the church.

BRO. CADZETAN

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Said this morning that some time ago a number of pocketbooks and other articles of value were reported, and the priests were very strongly inclined to the opinion that a pickpocket was operating in the church. The brother made it his business to keep a watch on all persons who appeared to him suspicious-looking, and finally he became convinced that he had the right man spotted. The person whom he suspected was a well-dressed stranger who came to church quite frequently with a little girl. The brother noticed that he child had a habit of running in among the crowd, and the man would then hasten after her and in his hurry brush up against several people very roughly. He would at once apologize and they, seeing that he wanted to get to the child, would think nothing more of it. What aroused the brother's suspicions was that the man would make no effort to restrain the child until it had been well started. He would then go after the little one in great haste. The brother one Sunday stationed himself in a window of the oratory, where he could well observe the suspected individual's actions, and as he thought, not attract any attention. The stranger, how-looked up and saw him watching and evidently made up his mind that he was suspected, for he was never seen in the church again.

NOTHING TO LIVE FOB.

Suicide of a Well-Known Young Canadian at Syracuse, N. Y.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch. at one time a clerk in the Canadian Parlia-Wells House Saturday. His body was found lying upon the floor of the apartments by a chambermaid late in the afternoon. An empty vial which had contained morphine was tightly clutched in his left hand and ex-

was tightly clutched in his left hand and explained the cause of death.

Browne's death revealed a romantic marriage, knowledge of which has been carefully guarded from his family. His mother used to live at the Grove on the Canadian side of the Niagara Falls. The mother was very wealthy and Browne is an only son. Two years ago a beautiful English girl was taken into the family as a companion to Browne's mother. Browne became infatuated with the girl and she grew to entertain a warm friendship for him. family as a companion to Browne's mother.

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His mother discovered the attchment, and is asid to have warned him that if he married the girl she would not only close her doors against them both, but would disinherit him at her death. She then dismissed the girl.

Soon after this Browne left home estensibly to attend to some business matter and met the girl in Buffalo, where they became man and wife. In order to give some other than his real reason for remaining away from his mother's home Browne secured an interest in an insurance and brokerage firm at Hamilton, Ont. Since then he had frequently sounded his mother as to the possibility of her accepting her former companion as a daughter-ing her former companion her husband his end came to grant the decided to keep the marriage a secret.

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A PROBABLE TRANSFER.

Military Headquarters May Be Moved From Fort Leavenworth to This City.

That St. Louis may again become the milltary headquarters of the Department of the Missouri is more than probable. Since 1866 the headquarters of this department, the most important in the country, and the one in which the greatest number of troops are stationed, has been at Fort Leavenworth, St. Louis having been given up shortly after the Louis having been given up shortly after the close of the rebellion. The removal of the headquarters to Leavenworth was in accordance with the policy of the army at that time, which was to place the department commanders at some large military post. The change from Fort Leavenworth to St. Louis would be in accordance with the policy that has recently been inaugurated, which is to remove the division and department headquarters from military posts to cities. The Division of the Missouri has its headquarters at Chicago, where there is no post. The headquarters of the Division of the Pacific were about three years ago removed from Presidio, the military post in the suburbs, to San Francisco. Still more recently the headquarters of the department of Dakota were transferred from Fort Snelling to St. Paul, twelve miles dis-

THE CAPTURE OF WALTO

THE ABSCONDING EXPRESS CLERK BUN DOWN IN ST. JOHNS, NEW BRUNSWICK

covered—Walton the Prey of Canadi mblers—The Value of the Moral Eff



T. JOHNS, N. B., Feb 24.—Fred A. Walton, late money clerk in the Dallas (Tex.) office of the Facific Express Co., was arrested here late Saturday night by two detectives from Mon-treal. Walton ab-sconded from Dallas Sunday night, February 2, with \$35,000. The City National Bank of Dalias had shipped two pack-ages of money, \$15,000

in gold and \$35,000 in bills to the Commercial Bank of St. Louis. The two packages were or one bill and according to the Dallas office books the \$50,000 went forward. But such was not the truth. Walton had destroyed the original bill, made a new one for \$15,000, put the \$35,000 in his satchs! and left the city. His disappearance was known the next day, but it was not until Wednesday that the Express Co. officials leaved that the that the Express Co. officials learned that the company had been robbed by Walton. The information was delayed because of the pre-

caution taken by Walton in preparing a new bill, showing only a shipment of \$15,000 and destroying the original bill, which showed a shipment of \$50,000 When the company learned of its loss through the company of the Commercial Bank that he \$25,000 package had not arrived it was easy for the officers to trace the theft to Walton, and detectives were put upon his track.

FIED TO CANAD.

Walton went into Canada. He stopped some days in London. He fell in with two Canadian gambers, Baird and Laird at Montreal and was neced to a considerable extent. It is not known how much he lost to these men. When aptured here he only had \$7,000. Brady was aptured on Friday in Montreal and \$5,000 in merican money was found on him. Whether Laird has the missing \$25,000 or it has been planted by Walton in not known. Laird has not been captured.

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after some loss of time. le learned that
Walton had gone to Halifaxio take ship for
England and went there to fid the ship had
sailed without Walton. The leter had gone
to Halifax, changed his mind ad returned to
bit. Johns, thus losing his chace of escape.
Grose followed the trail backto St. Johns,
and by sheer good luck caught is man.

Walton is reticent and will Lobably fight
against return to the United State, though he
can be prosecuted here for briging stoles
money into the country.

Supt. Fuller of the express coppany has not yet returned to the city. He i supposed to be in Canada, as he followed up he pursuit and if it has to be content will express company will see that he go limit of the law. If possible, however be brought back to this country, yet they have not succeeded in what with any extraditable offense.

CONTINUED FOR THE STATE.

Such Was the Entry Made To-Day in the

For the first time in over seven weeks Chief of Detectives Hugh O'Aeli made his appearance at the Four Courts this morning and re-

ported for duty. He looked quite pale and said he felt very weak.
Chief O'Neil has been off duty since January 5 last. He was taken down with a slight attack of bronchitis to which he is in some measure subject. Just when he was ready to return to work a few days later the grip laid him low, a relapse of the more serious trouble than came on, and for a few weeks the patient was in a precarious condition.
While Chief O'Neil was off duty his department was in good hands. The veteran Pal Lawler was placed in charge of the office as Acting Chief, and did good work in that capetity. He was to day again paired with his partner, Mr. Desmond, while Chief O'Neil as samed his old authority.

ANSWERS TO COMPRESPONDENTS.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

I. B.—Clara Morris will appear in "Reneeds Moray" at the Wednesday matinee.

READER.—In cuchre a player can order us an opponent irrespective of the condition of his own hand.

# DOINGS IN THE COURTS.

AN INSTANCE OF EXEMPTION FROM JUDGMENT FOR WAGES

Judge Valliant's Ruling on the Law in Foint—Frank Ely's Last Testament and Other Wills—Judge Tieber's Bulings— New Jewelry and Mining Companies— Legal Notes and News.

An instance where goods are exempt from a levy for services was given this morning by Judge Valliant in his ruling in the case of Rooke against Zacharias. Mr. Zacharias kept the saloon and concert hall on Broadway, between Market and Walnut streets. He falled and the Sheriff seized the property for Mr. Rooke, a creditor. Measrs. Schopp and Sanders, two employes about the place, entered suit in a Justice of the Peace office for services and secured dgment for \$24.25. The Constable notified the Sheriff that he levied on the same goods,

padgment for \$24.25. The Constable notified the Sheriff that he levied on the same goods, but never actually took possession of them. The property was sold and Schopp and Sanders claimed they were entitled to the amount of their judgment out of the proceeds. Rooke contested it and, passing on Schopp and Sanders' right to the money, says:

"Sec. 4,910, R. S., 1889, provides that no property shall be exempt from execution under judgments for wages to the extent of \$30, but the law does not make such a judgment a llen on the defendant's property different from any other judgment ilen. Sec. 4,911, provides a specific remedy for debts of this character, but this is not a proceeding under that section, and therefore the case does not apply here. The exemptions which the law allows a defendant are for his benefit, and must be claimed by him to be made available, and if walved it cannot be set up by a creditor. Abernathy va. Whitehead \$5, Mo. 28. There being no exemption allowed by law against the executions of Schopp and Saunders, and the defendant having as he had the undoubted right to do, walved the exemption while the law allowed him as against the executions of Schopp and Saunders, and the defendant having as he had the undoubted right to do, walved the exemption while the law allowed him as against the executions of Rooke, the law of exemptions is eliminated from this case and the rights of the parties stand as if there was no law of exemption in this State. What, then, is the situation? Rooke's execution is the oldest and the first, and the money must be applied."

### Frank Ely's Last Will.

The will of the late Frank Elv. of the Elv. Walker Dry Goods Co., was admitted to pro-bate to-day. The will covers eighteen pages Walker Dry Goods Co., was admitted to probate to-day. The will covers eighteen pages of legal cap and is dated May 10, 1884. After requesting that all his just debts be paid he bequeathes his wife, Mrs. Clara D. Ely, \$5,000 and gives her all the household furniture, horses, buggies, plate and other articles used in the family. This is given and intended to exclude her from all right of dower in the estate. He names Mrs. Ely, two brothers. Louis B, and Robert C. Ely, trustees to keep the estate intact until the youngest child becomes of age, educating and providing for them, and after all expenses are paid one-third of the annual income is to be given to Mrs. Ely for her sole use.

To his sister, Mrs. Midred Montgomery, he gives \$300. To his half-sister, Mrs. Mary John Putman, he gives \$150. When Louis B, and Vivian D. Ely, two sons, become of age or marry, they are to receive \$10,000 each, or an equiviliant is property for their use until the final dividend. When the last child shall become of age the estate shall be divided, one-third to Mrs. Ely and the remainder to the children in equal shares. Mrs. Clara D. Ely, Louis B, and Robert C. Ely were appointed executors, but Louis did not qualify this morning and letters of administration were granted to the other two. The estate is said to be worth from \$250,000 to \$500,000.

In the will of John Braun, admitted to probate this morning, he gives the children of Henry Braun, his brother, \$1,000, and to his sister, Kuingunda Martens, \$500. To the three children of her sister he gives \$500. and to his sister, Kuingunda Martens, \$500. To the three children of her sister he gives \$500. and to his sister, Kuingunda Martens, \$500. To the three children of her sister he gives \$500. and to his sister, Kuingunda Martens, \$500. To the three children of her sister he gives \$500. and to his sister, Kuingunda Martens, \$500. To the three children of her sister he gives \$600. and to his sister, Kuingunda Martens, \$500. To the three children of her sister he gives all his real and

G. S. Warner vs. assigned estate of Warner & Sons: motion of National Bank of America appellant sustained; motion to be so substiuted filed and sustained upon the bank giving bond and security in penalty of \$250 and filing affidavit within ten days.

Assignment of George Wurtz; assignee discharged on his petition on payment of costs.

Turner vs. Siegel; finding and decree for defendants.

fendants.

Rooke vs. Zacharias; motion of plaintiff
Rooke for an order on Sheriff to pay the money
in his hands to plaintiff sustained; the motions of Schopp & Sanders overruled.

Pieper vs. Stiefel; judgment for plaintiff
against the garnishee sustained.

Laughlin vs. Soper; motion to strike out

Laughlin vs. Soper; motion to strike out amended petition overruied.

American Stock Food & Fuel Co. vs. Arnold, sasignes; decree that \$3,253.24 be paid out of fund in court to Buckeye Engine Co. and the balance to Arnold, assignee.

New Jewelry and Mining Companies. The Standard Jewelry Co., with a capital

stock of \$50,000, also filed articles in the Re corder's office. The stock is all paid up and is owned by Augustus A. Hart, who holds 420

is owned by Augustus A. Hart, who holds 420 shares, U. G. Dugger five shares and O. J. Pfeffer seventy-five shares.

The Sherwood Mining Co. filed articles of incorporation in the Recorder's office this morning. The capital stock is \$25,000 divided into \$25,000 shares for par value of \$1 per share, and all are ken. James O. Houseman of Joplin, Mo., Ms. James O. Houseman of Joplin, Mo., ares, J. A. King, 12,490 shares, Aug. Me. share and J. W. Evans, labare. Judg

ngels vs. Gartner et al.; et al. vs. Geo. F. Baker,

fannie E. Pa et al. vs. Geo. F. Baker, administrator, .......; demurrer of defendant, John N. Straat appointed guardian of minor defendants.
Burns et al. vs. Capstick et al.; motion to strike out part of petition sustained and part complained of stricken out.

James Kilkenny vs. Utizens' Railroad Cable Co.; motion for a new tesial overruled.

Walter M. Hezel vs. Charles Kernst; same. Wants a Receiver Appointed.

George W. Sherrick of the firm of Sherrick Hall, undertakers at 1806 Washington avenue, filed suit against his partner, Thomas Hall, this morning asking the court to appoint a receiver and for an accounting.

Legal Notes. John Looney filed suit against Cornelius Looney this morning for \$365 cash loaned him.

Henry Unwer filed a suit for divorce against Elizabeth Unwer this morning on the ground of drunkenness and infidelity. Wesendonck, Lorenz & Co. of New York filed a suit on account against A. Loth & Sons this morning for \$2,595.69 balance due for goods sold and delivered.

The Continental Printing Co. filed notice in the Recorder's office to-day of having increased its capital stock from \$9,000 to \$20,000. The assets ara \$21,295.79 and the Habilities \$3,801.22.

3.501.22.

A jury is sitting in Judge Withrow's court o-day listening to the evidence in the \$3,000 tamage suit of Henry Shore, a boy 15 years of gge, against Ferdinand Meyrose. Henry was running a machine, when something proke and he lost his thumb. He claims the machine was defective.

Photos of Bables

And children made by Scholten were awarded highest prize Paris Exposition, 4880

Vandalin's New Postmaster

y Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.
VANDALIA, Ill., Feb. 24.—J. F. Sayles, publisher of the Republican organ, has succeeded 8. B. Stout, Democrat, as Post-naster at this place.

ripos, Fla., Feb. 24.—The fire

Serious Allegations Made in a Divorce Case Ill., Feb. 24.-A sensational divorce suit is set for trial in the Circuit Court in this county at the May term, being continued from the present February term. The parties to the case are Amos B. Perkins and Margaret Perkins of Hoopston, Ill., and among the witnesses subpgensed for the lady are Mayor Cregier of Chicago and Gen. John M. Palmer of Springfield. The case was set for trial at this term of court, and the lady was here with her attorney, Hon. Joseph E. Mann of Danville, Ill., and the following witnesse: Dr. Geo. W. Inglehart of Memphis, W. T. and Noah Crawford of Sullivan, Ind.; L. H. Moore of Spring Mountain, O.; Wm. Moore of Hoopston, Ill., anna B. Plastic, damether of the defendant and her husband, S. T. Plastic. Mayor Cregier and Gen. Palmer were en route here, but were belegraphed that the case had been continued. The demand for the divorce comes from the husband, who has but recently taken up his abode here, coming from Hoopston, Ill., and becoming a member of the lumber firm of William Prestorius & Son. In his bill he alleges that the defendant refused to be a wife to him; that she abused him and at one time drove him out of the house with a revolver. He also charges adultery. Mrs. Perkins files a cross-bill denying the charge of adultery and making a counter charge of like nature against her husband, implicating a young lady at Auna, Ill. She admits that she refused to live with her husband, but charges that she had good cause for her action as she proposes to prove by Dr. Inglehart of Memphis. But the important yoin in the matter is that the lady is rich in her own right, having property in and near Hoopston to the value of \$200,000, part of which she owned before her marriage and part she inherited from her father. The husband sues for part of this property, and against this the wife contends. The lady is very attractive. She is anxious for a divorce, but not upon the grounds alleged in her husband's application; hor is she willing to surrender any of her property to him. The case will be the most interesting of the kind ever tried in this county. ruary term. The parties to the case are Amos B. Perkins and Margaret Perkins

LADIES' GOLD, \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40, \$50 and \$60. GENTS' GOLD, \$35, \$40, \$45, \$50. \$75 and \$100. LADIES' SILVER, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20 and GENTS' SILVER, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20, \$25

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and Sad a History.

Unless some relations or friends appear t prevent, the body of Mathias Pfau will be turned over to the Anatomical Board for the purposes of that organization. The remains are now on a slab in the Morgue, where they have rested since Thursday last.

Plau died on Wednesday night at the City Hospital. He had been found insensible

Plau died on Wednesday night at the City Hospital. He had been found insansible under a table in the Soulard Market on Tuesday by a police officer. He was sent to the hospital for treatment, but never recovered consciousness, and died with the sad story of his life untoid.

Mathias Pfau was a character. About a month ago under the head of Four Courts skotches there appeared in the Post-Dispartor of the Most man. His life was a failure. Fifty years ago he came to St. Louis and ever afterwards made this city his home. Thirty years age he was driving a milk wagon for a South St. Louis dairy company. Then he became a vagrant, and has but in his remaining years wandering about the country during the summer and foading in St. Louis resorts during the winter months. His appearance was most repulsive. He was little over three feet tail, had a large head and enormous feet. He was little over three feet tail, had a large head and enormous feet, lie was drunk whenever he could raise the money on which to joilify, and was a familiar figure in South St. Louis, sitting against some convenient wall with his big hat punched a convenient wall with his big hat punched a convenient wall with his big hat punched a convenient wall with his plant punched a convenient wall with his plant punched been asleed in a specarance at the Four Courts in the fail he had his left eye bandaged. The bail had been eaten entirely away by a cancer, yet the suffer ing victim reduced the owner of the place, who ran one of the bands and was discovered by the owner of the place, who ran one of the three series of his pitch-fork into the optic. A cancer soon formed, which cost the dwarf his life. He would never tell of his antecedents and always avoided a conversation as to his life He would never tell of his antecedents and always avoided a conversation as to his love for the nomadic life he led. He made no friends and was considered by many a harmless lunastic.

Photos of Babies

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And children made by Scholten were awarded highest prize Paris Exposition, 1889.

Seeking Buried Treasure. PARIS, Tex., Feb. 24 .- A gentleman who recently arrived here brings news of a singular discovery on Red River, about fifty miles northeast of this city. Parties hearing from traditions of an old Spanish fort containing a large amount of silver stored in it which had been obtained in the mountain north of here concluded to hunt for it. They found on the banks of the Red river a place covering about fifty acres of land with an earthwork and banks of the Red river a place covering about fifty acres of land with an earthwork and ditch around it. In the center were an number of mounds. Excavations were made into a number of them, and it was discovered that they were all Mexican adobe houses and on the inside of each were skulls and human bones covered over with charcoal. Tradition has it that this fort was strongly garrisoned, but that a revolt broke out among the Indians and they surprised and killed the men at the mines and then besieged the fort, and after a long struggle captured it, slaughtered the garrison and burned the bodies in the houses. North of this place in the burned the bodies in the houses. North of this place in the mountains an old mine has been found. At that place is an old brass cannon and a number of old gun barrels. The parties who have found the mines of the old fort are confident they will find along buried treasure. There is no doubt the old fort has been found, but when it was established there is a matter of conjecture.

Appointments Made by Gov. Stone. By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. Jackson, Miss., Feb. 24 .- Under the act ap-

pointing two commissioners to work during the next two years and report to the Governor the conditions of all of the State offices, Gov. Stone to-day appointed Robert C. Patty of Macon and A. H. Longino of Greenwood, Mr. Petty is Chancery Clerk of Noxubec County, Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee and President of the State Alliance, Mr. Longino is an ex-Senator, who was United States District Attorney under Cleveland, and is a lawyer of the highest standing.

Hon. Henry C. Conh of Harlehurst was to-day appointed Chancellor of the district, vice Judge Cowen.

Edgar S. Wilson of this city, editor of the Daily Commonwealth, was to-day appointed by Gov. Stone State Commissioner of Swamp Lands and the appointment was confirmed by the Senate. pointing two commissioners to work during

Maneuvers of British Detectives.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—It has leaked out the NEW YORK, Feb. M.—It has leaked out that the regular force of British detectives attitioned here have been increased by five Scotland Yard men within the past few days. Among the new-comers are Inspector Littlechia and a man named Regan. Regan, who has frequently been here, has already preceded his ohief to Chicago, but for the past two days others have been constant callers at the British Consulate, through which all reports are made to the home averages. THE 30th ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

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\$88,827,026,92 Income.

\$25,357,522.75 5,085,765.53 30,398,288.28 \$119,220,815.20 Disbursements.

Total paid Policy-holders .....\$11,842,857.89 Net Ledger Assets, December 31, 1889 ..... \$101,373,362.31

Assets. Real Estate, including the Equitable Educations and purchases under the receivance of mortgages.

United States Stocks, State Stocks, City Stocks, in Trust Companies and other Investments.

Loans secured by Bonds and Stocks (Market Value, \$5,404,859).

Real Estate outside the State of New York, including purchases under foreclosure of mortgages.

Cash in Banks and in transit (since received and invested).

Due from Agents on account of Premiums. 8,116,755.06 3,960,630.63 771,166.14 \$101,878,362.81

Total Assets, December 31, 1889 ...... \$107,150,309.12 I hereby certify, that after a personal examination of the securities and accounts described in this statement, I find the same to be true and correct as stated.

JOHN A. McCALL, Compreher.

Total Liabilities, including legal reserve on all existing Policies (4 per cent. Standard). \$84,329,234.92 Total Undivided Surplus, over 4% Reserve. \$22,821,074.20

Of which the proportion contributed (as computed) by Policies in general class, is \$6,848,611.20 Of which the proportion contributed (as computed) by Policies in Tontine class, is 15,972,463.00 We certify to the correctness of the above calculation of the reserve and surplus. From this surplus the usual dividends will be made. New Assurance written in 1889 ..... \$175,264,100

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BENEATH THE HAMMER.

THE SALE OF THE FURNITURE OF THE PLANTERS' HOUSE COMMENCED.



and shutting burean drawers, fingering the mattresses and bedciothing and carefully inspecting all the furniture that was offered for sale.

A VERY LARGE PROPORTION of the concourse was of the gentler sex and a very considerable majority were attracted by curiosity, rather than by any desire to add to their household goods. A few faces were seen in the morning that have been well known in St. Louis for several decades, and who have often assembled about the hospitable board of the Planters' House in days when such a scene as that of to-day appeared to be among the impossibilities. These old denizens of the hotel wandered mournfully through the rooms, and avidently considered the manner in which the furniture was handled and examined as little short of sacrilege. Expressions of regret were heard, and it was clear that many witnessed the breakup of the old house with feelings of sorrow that would under ordinary circumstances have been aroused only by some personal calamity. One old geniteman who visited a large front room on the third floor that had been occupied by Gen. F. P. Blair as headquarters during the Presidential campaign of 1888, was horrified to behold a hage Ethopian of the female persuasion seated in the largest easy chair with her feet in the one next in size, and her progrey, four in number, playing on the bed. He left with a sigh and declared that preveness and the wind word of promise and the largest easy chair with her feet in the one next in size, and her progrey, four in number, playing on the bed. He left with a sigh and declared that preveness would be sight on any the program of the female persuasion seated in the largest easy chair with her feet in the one next in size, and her progrey, four in number, playing on the bed. He left with a sigh and declared that preveness would be irreduced to the sight of the sight and declared that preveness would be sight of the sight and declared that preveness would be sight of the sight and the progrey, four in the progress which appears the progress of

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This Gilkir Mijoritt, however, were affected by no such motives, but viewed the sale with a commercial rather than a sentimental eye. The carpets seemed to attract an unusual amount of attention, and several enterprising gentlemen loosened the tack to see whether they could be turned successfully.

P. S. Lanham, the anctioneer, and his pariner, Henry Sutton, were on hand early, and so was Joseph J. Girardi, who was to be sold out, and Public Administrator Soudder. R. D. Lee, the attorney, was representing clients, and George Bain was beaming and smilling behind a buttonhole bouquet. Sol J. Quinitvan, who had known the hotel for forty years, came to pay it a farewell call and Floor Manager Isane G. Smythe of the Merchants' Exchange looked on with regret at the preparations for the sale. George and Isane Baker of the Continental Bank, who were interested in the sale, were busy arranging details and giving instructions to their representatives. P. S. McCormick, one of the four men who remained a guest of the house until the last, was there to witness its death, for the time being at least, as a hotel. Spivester H. Laffin came as an old resident to pay his respects, and J. W. Giver, Charles H. Bailey, Dick Cole, Thomas in building, and John F. Lee, their attorney, arrived and held consultations with several parties. There was an impression that the owners

THE HAMMER.

the bidding was very general, and no one person bought in much of the furniture, secend-hand dealers being the most extensive purchasers. Henry D. Laughlin, Mr. Girardi's attorney, arrived just as Mr. Sutton mounted a steam register at 10:30 o'clock to announce that the sale was bout to be commenced. Mr. Sutton after stating that the furniture was all in the best of repair and the finest he had ever seen at a hotel, read the notice of sale advertised in the newspapers. He said there was no question as to the legality of the sale. In the absence of any satisfactory offer for the entire furnishings of the house, the articles would be sold separate, the contents of each room being auctioned off in regular order, commencing at the extreme been found within the walls of the time honored hostelry. At an early hour the crowd began to arrive and long before the arrival of the succioneer could inform the people just when he would sell the different style articles of the functioneers hundreds of people were wandering about the house, examining the chairs, testing the bedsprings, opening and shutting bureau drawers, fingering the othing and carefully interest was offered for more than a very small part of the crowd to get inside any of the rooms. If any but intending purchasers of the particular articles to be sold to-day remained it would more lightly make a disagreeable crush.

At a carrival of the sale would be impossible to say into the people were wandering about the bedroom sets and carpets, and the furniture and household goods. Mr. Sutton replied that it would be impossible to say into the volid particular articles to be sold to-day remained it would be selless for people who intended purchasing and shutting bureau drawers, fingering the other crowd to get inside any of the rooms. If any but intending purchasers of the particular articles to be sold to-day remained it would more lightly make a disagreeable crush.

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glish body Brussels carpet at 20 cents a yard, making a total of \$46.43 for the contents of the room.

When the man who bought the window portieres was asked his name he replied "McGinty," and a shout of iaughter went up.

Room No. 402 which was next sold went a little lower, the bed-room set only bringing \$10, although similar to that in the frontroom. The contents of room 405, the third sold, brought \$33.25, the bed-room set goins for \$18.50. Room 406 was larger and a little better furnished than the others and its contents sold for \$60.02. The bed-room set brought \$24 and 42 yards of English Moquette carpet went for 51 cents a yard. Room No. 408 sold for about the same as No. 404, and in room No. 410, besides the regular bed-room furniture there was sold fourteen slop cans at 74 cents aplece and five foot tubs at 8 cents aplece. In room 412 slot of tollet sets were sold at prices of 70 and 75 cents a set, the sets being put up in lots of about a half dozen sets each. A lot of crockery pitchers went for 222 cents aplece and a lot of crockery slop jars at 55 cents aplece. The sale progressed steadily, although not rapidly, during the afternoon, and nearly everything on the fourth floor was disposed of, the amount realized being between \$2,500 and \$3,000. Mr. Gerardi was at the hotel and expressed his opinion that the prices so far obtained were very satisfactory.

Nebraska City's New Seuthern Outlet.

Nebraska City's New Southern Outlet, incorporation of the Omaha Southern Railway
Co. were filed with the Courty Clerk resterday. It is a Missouri Pacific road running
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Carondelet Jettings. Miss Estelle Le Marchal returned last even-

ng from New Orleans. The Roosting Club gave an entertainment last evening at its club rooms on Broadway. Work will begin about May 1 in reparing and remodeling Jefferson Barracks. New quarters for sevants and for Sunt. James O'Madigan are being erected at the

James O'Maugan acQuarentine.

Mrs. E. Harris of Jefferson City, who has been making a lengthy visit to St. Louis friends, returns home to-morrow.

Mr. John Krauss and family will arrive home to-day from a visit to New Orleans and the

South.

Samuel Wallace, an aged gentleman, met with a painful accident about 60°clock last night. As he was returning from the rear of his yard he slipped and fell on his cisten box, breaking his right arm.

At a negro dance given at Frank Martin's place on the river bank last night the police were compelled to clear the house on account of the noise. Trouble was looked for, but the negroes left in a peaceable manner.

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BUFE-On Monday, February 24, at her home 1403 Dodierstreet, Louisa Buff, nee Hochderffer wife of Henry Bufe. Funeral Wednesday

Butler (Mo.) and Centralia (Ill.) papers pleas CAUGHLAN-At O'Fallon, Ill., February 24, Rev D. CAUGHLAN, in h s 67th year.
Funeral to take place at Trenton, Ill., Wednesda<sup>2</sup>y,
26th. Friends of the family invited to attend.
Alton (Ill.) papers please copy.

COGHLAN-On February 21, at 1:15 a, m., after a lingering iliness, ELIZA A. (nee Gander), wife of Philip F. Coghlan.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

MERTENS-On Monday, February 24, at 3 a. m. MERTENS—On Monday, February 24, at 3 a.m., HENRY MERTENS, at the age of 70 years. Funeral will take place Wednesday, 26th inst., at 2 p. m., from the family residence, No. 708 Gratios street. Friends are invited to attend.

NOON-On Monday, Feb. 24, 1890, KATE, beloved wife of Thomas Noon, aged 57 years.

Funeral will take place at 2 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, February 26, from the family residence, 1315 North Second street to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cometery. Friends are invited to attend.

SMITH-February 24, at 2 o'clock a. m., WILLIE, eloved and only son of Alex. and Mary E. Smith. beloved and only son of Alex. and Mary E. Smith, aged 14 years.

Funeral from family residence, No. 2128 Clark avenue, Wednesday, February 26, at 2 o'clock, to St. Maiachi's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of the family invited to attend.

Connelisville (Pa.) and Anndale (Kan.) papers

WITTENBERG-ELIZABETH, wife of Louis Wittenberg, at 9:15 Saturday, February 22, at residence No. 22004; Wash street. Milwankee papers please copy

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WANTED-A widow wishes to keep house for gen WANTED-Sit, as working housekeeper in a sma family by middle-aged woman; \$1.50 week; goo home the object; good ref. Add. H 99, this office. 4

General Housework.

WANTED-Situation by young girl to assist in light housework. Address B 98, this office. 48 WANTED-Situation as housegirl to assist in washing and ironing, or nurse. 21071/2 N. Broadway. WANTED-A German woman wishes a situation for general housework; washing, ironing. 1028 N. High st., rear.

STOVE REPAIRS For every stove or range made in the United Stat to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st.

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WANTED-Situation by a good cook; willing to assist in washing. 913 N. 19th st. WANTED-Situation by a respectable widow lady as housekeeper for respectable widower; object good home more than wages; no objection to children. Address G 97, this office.

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WANTED-Sit. by a woman to clean office; ret. WANTED-A young lady wishes to wrap bundle in a laundry or work in a candy store. 141: WANTED-Situation by a middle-aged woman work in small family or mind a child. Call 1309 N. 12th st. WanteD-Lady experienced will canvass for good selling articles; inducements must be sure and positive. Add. C. 96, this office.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE.

WANTED-A girl to do cooking and general house-work. Call at once at 1215 Mississippi av. 68 WANTED-Good, reliable cook at Metropolitan Hotel, 19th and Carrets. Apply after 3 p. m. 68 WANTED-A good German girl to cook, wash and iron in small family. Apply 2861 N. Grand av. WANTED—A German girl to do cooking and to assist in washing and ironing at No. 2335 Whittemore place, one half block west of Lafayette Park.

WANTED—For small f amily, a first-class cook; must be able to market. Apply at Woman's Exchange, 617 Locust sta, Monday, between 10 and 12 o'clock. WANTED—A first-class carpet fitter and layer.
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General Housework. WANTED-Good girl for general housework at 3120 Clifton pl. WANTED-Girl for housework at once. 1024 N WANTED-A woman to do general 2708 Lucas av. WANTED-Girl for general housework; no wash-WANTED-First-class house girl. Call at once 1518 Washington av. WANTED-A girl for general housework. Apply at 2230 Montgomery at. WANTED-Girl for general housework, also girl to cook. 1018 S. 8th st. WANTED-Girl for general housework; goo wages. 1913 Hickory st.

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Laundresses.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE.

Nurses.

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WANTED-Good pantry girl wanted. Fan Restaurant, 616 Morgan st. WANTED-Ail house-keepers to see the new handled sad irons, 1214 Pine st. WANTED-Milliners; two good general Apply at once to 308 N. Broadway. WANTED-Colored woman to wash dishe assist in kitchen work. 2940 Locust st.

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WANTED-Board and room, by a young lady, with in six or eight blocks of Bell Avenue School. WANTED-Roem for man and wife, bear for one, in strictly private family, not to far from Nugent's. Address S 1, this office. HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

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Present indications are very favorable for the construction of an extensive and elegant flice building at the northeast corner of Broadway and Wainut street. Negotiations for the purchase of the property in the interest of local capitalists have been pending authority that \$5,000 has been paid over to bind the sale of a portion of the ground which, originally, it was intended to acquire. That part which has been secured belongs to the estate of David Nicholson. There is now a cheap one-story building upon the site, opposite the Southern Hotel, whilen is used as a saloon and reaturant. The building was erected by Mr. Nicholson. He acquired the property, fronting 60 feet on Broadway, by a depth of 127½ on Wainut, from Mrs. Le Bourgois of St. James Parish, La., in 1866, paying at that time \$66,000 for it. The premises are now under lease which expires in November next, when the present improvements are to be torn away to make room for the new building. Mr. Frank Gerheart is negotiating the sale of the property, but he nor Mr. John H. Tracy, executor for the estate, are disposed at present to give any information about the matter. Gossip has it that the consideration for the ground is \$100,000 but Mr. Gerheart says it will not cost that much by a good deal.

On the 17th of March last Mr. E. C. Bester. ntended to acquire. That part which has

There is a great dearth of litigants in St.
Louis. This is the last week for filing suits in
the United States Circuis Court and no suits
have been filed. There are many cases in the
court to be considered, but not more than the
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MONDAY, Feb. 24, 3 p. m., 1890. to fair are selling from \$2.50 to \$3; common, \$
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stockers and feeders, which are selling
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and good demand at \$15 to \$35 for commo
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On the lith of March last Mr. E. C. Becker
bought the property adjoining this on the
north, numbered 12, 14 and 16 South Broadway, having a frontage of 57½ feet, for \$47,
000. All that property is now bringing in a
good rental, and the Nicholson corner, poor
as the improvements are, is renting for about
\$7,000 a year.

Normandy Heights.

Mr. E. S. Guignon sold for Mr. John G. Mc.
Nair his one-third interest in the Normandy
Heights tract for \$16,000 to Matthew A. De
Moss. There are about one hundred acres in
this tract, which was purchased a year ago
for \$40,000 from Capt. Thomas T. Turner, by
Messirs. Cornet and Zeibig and McNair. These
parties have all sold out now, and two-thirds
of their entire interest has been
bought up by Mr. Guignon. Following
the purchase of this ground a year
ago it was platted into lots of half an acre,
and since then eighty-two of them have been
sold at the uniform price of \$500 each. In
buying out the original purchasers Mr.
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the eighty-two lots.

FERGUSON STATION.

Mr. C. C. Nicholis sold an acre of ground in
the W. B. Ferguson track, at Ferguson station, for \$600, to Henry Menke. The ground
is situated at the southeast crossing of the
Wabash Railway and Clay avenue.

Littgants Lacking. the house the wife suggested as she was gote to Allentown, the nearest banking place to take the money and place in safe keeping. Night came an the young wife did not return, but nothin was thought of it as she was often wont tarry over night with a friend in the city. By when the second night came and she did not appear, the husband's suspicions we aroused, and on going to her friend he found she had not been there He learned at the bank that nothing had been there to his credit. Then for the first tin the thought dawned upon him that his with had proved faithless. He also learned that a man named Goorge, who he had proved faithless. He also he had a man named George, who been very assiduous in his attention Mrs. Jones, was also missing. A coup wering their description have been training here, whence it is believed the west on the Cleveland, Columbus,

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NEW YORK, Feb. 24, 11 a. m.—The opening of the stock market this morning was made upon a moderately active business, which was well distributed among the leading stocks, though Louisville & Nashville, Rock Island, New England, St. Paul and Burlington & Quincy were most prominent. First prices, as compared with the closting figures of Friday, showed very irregular changes, Louisville & Nashville being down is per cent, while Cotton Oil was up a like amount. There was considerable pressure to sell in the early dealings and fractional declines occurred all over the list, New England and Louisville & Nashville leading with in par cent each in the regular list and sugar with 1 per cent in the	local
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Hay and Millfeed.

Bran—There was a fair demand with light offerings. Mills are well sold ahead. Sales: Sacked—10 cars East track at 45c, 1 at country point at 41c, 1 at 22c, 1 car sacked shorts at track this side at 44c. Bulk—2 cars bran at country point at 394c, 1 at 39c, 1 bulk middlings at 461sc, 1 at 43c.

Hay—Choice and fanor were in good demand, but clover mixed and mixed timothy hard to sell at almost any figure. Sales—1 car damaged at \$4, 1 prairies at \$7, 1 do at \$7.25, 2 do at \$8, 2 fancy do at \$5.50, low timothy at \$6.50, 1 prime at \$9.50, 1 clover mixed at \$36.5 de at \$7.7.1 do at \$7.10, 1 do at \$8.1 do at \$8.50, 1 mixed timothy at \$1.50, 1 do at \$8.1 do at \$8.50, 1 mixed timothy at \$1.50, 2 choice do at \$1.50, 1 do at \$11, 2 tancy at \$11.50. Provisions.

The feeling was stronger, and sellers were claiming an advance, which checked business greatly. There were practically no offerings of up-country dry sait meats, as the prices asked were far above what buyers would pay. Bacon was firmer.

Fork.—Standard meas pork seld f. o. b, at \$100 10.124 and hardide at \$9.8749.

Lard.—Frime steam nominal at 5.55c; fancy leaf, 68c; second brand, 64c.

Dry Fait Meats—Loose of shippings age held f. o. b. on cash orders—Shoulders at 3.85c; longs and cribs at 4.85c, shorts at 1.05c.

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Bacom—Packed shoulders sold at 48c, longs at 58c, c. 10 at 1.85c.

Hams range from Shorl 124c, as in size of brand.

Breakfrast Bacon sells at 8269c per lb. Beef—Family, \$5.5069. 50 per bbit \$4465. 25 per 15—bbi; on orders higher. Dried, 9200c, and selected 11c per lb. Smoked beef tongues. \$4465 per doz.

Salt—Donestic, \$5690c, per bbit on East and 900 95c on this side; ground alum, \$1.1001.15 per sack. In a small way higher. Highwines and Lead. Highwines unchanged at \$1.02 in St. Louis, Cincinnati and Chicago, \$1.08 in Peoria.
Lead firm; chemical hard was wanted at an advance, and \$3.65 was bid for car lots E. side; soft Missouri quotable at \$3.60 and desilverized refined not salable at over \$3.62\frac{1}{2}, at which 100 tons sold. Afternoon Curb. May wheat, 754,2 to bid; puts, 754,c, and c. Chicago—May, 774,2 to. Future Sales To-Day. Wheat—May—10 at 76c, 90 at 75% 66c, 580 at 75% 68c, 360 at 75% 68c, 110 at 76% c, 180 at 75% 6% c, 100 at 75% 6% c, 100 at 75% 6% c, 101 y = 25 at 73% 20 at 73% 6% c, 20 at 25% 6% 6% c, 20 at 25% 6% 6% c, 20 at 25% 6% c, 20 at 25% 6% 6% c, 20 at 25% 6% c, 20 at 25% 6% c, 20 at 25% 6% 6 Chicago Market Letters. Chicago market Letters.

Special to J. C. Ewald.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Wheat—We have had a dull, tame and uninteresting session, with the attitude of a few lecal operators of more influence on the range of fluctuations than any outside news. Colder weather promised in the Northwest, and a continuance of rain reported in California, having a chestnutty flavor and an unsavory taste for the bulls, failed even to elicit a passing interest. Up to the present time our advices indicate that everything promises well for the growing crop. The price of wheat, however, looks to us very low, when the situation is viewed from a broad standpoint, and we feel that the buyer around present values will be rewarded with good profits ere long.

Corn was dull and weak. The estimates for tomorrew's receipts are 200 cars.

Provisions were firm. Armour was a steady buyer of short c'ribs and seemed inclined to bull the market both for meats and lard. Hutchinson was a free selier of May pork, but the demand was good and market closed at lop. W. G. McCommick & Co. Special to J. P. Grier.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Wheat is without support. If a disaster comes it may sell higher. In the meantime the sixtles are in the future.

F. G. LOGAN & CO.

New York Market Letter. New York Market Letter. Special to Rus Samuel.

New York. Feb. 24.—A lack of stimulating news and a slight pressure of long wheat gave us an easier markes. Trading has been mostly local and without special feature. The report of twelve loads worked for export proved to be untrue. We see nothing to improve the price at the moment. Corn is steady. Ten loads were taken for export. Our receipts are decreasing.

Coffee Market. As reported by the Hanley & Kinsella Coffee and Spice Co.: inters report damage to wheat by his report of tuning typographical error was made in the first of the crop was worthiers. Instead of packs capt, the year and of the crop was worthiers. Instead of packs capt, the year and of the crop was worthiers. Instead of packs capt, the year and of the crop was worthiers. Instead of packs are the packs of the packs of the packs. The years of the packs of 237,200 and fal

COUNTRY PRODUCE

bil. Cabbage—Only a few bbls Northern arriving and will at \$2.50@2.75 per bbl. On orders, choice, \$2.75 as ner crate. Red \$2.75 per bbl. Sauerkraut—Choice city make on orders: bbls at \$3.25 and half-bbls at \$2.25.
Turnips—Home-grown on orders, \$1.27 per bbl. Carrofs—Home-grown on orders, \$1.27 per bbl. Parsnips—Home-grown on orders, \$1.25@1.50 et bbl.

Paranips—Home-grown on orders, \$1.25\(\pi\).50 per bbl.

Horseradish—Home-grown on orders, \$2.75\(\pi\).3.25 per bbl.

New Southern Vegetables—Cabbage firm. Choice Mobile and New Orleans selling at \$3.75\(\pi\)4 on orders per crate. Green peas, marrowfats, at \$1.50\(\pi\)1.75, and early May at \$2.25\(\pi\)2.250 per but box; beets in good condition and selling at \$25\(\pi\)35\(\pi\)50 per doz; cucumbers, \$1.50\(\pi\) for large and mediu m \$1.61.25 per doz; tomatoes. \$1 per 43-but box and \$3\(\pi\)3.50 per orate; turnips, 10\(\pi\)200 per doz; new potatoes, \$3.25 per 43-but box.

Home-Grown Vegetables—On orders—Spinach, \$1.50 per bbl; kale, \$1.25 per bbl; parsiey, 25c per doz; celery, 50\(\pi\)85c per bunch: soup bunches, 40c per doz; ple plant, 35\(\pi\)350 per doz; new onlons, 124\(\pi\)615c per doz; radishes, 35\(\pi\)400 per doz; letince, \$2.50 per bbl. Poultry and Game.

roosters. Sige, and young roosters 565the per lb; turkeys. 869c; ducks. 866c; geese, 4644c; pigeons, \$1.3661.50 per dox.

Dressed Poultry—Owing to warmer weather there was little inquiry, and offerings small also. Sales ranged: Turkeys at 869c for old gobiers. 1961le for young do, and 1091le for small hens \$1.20 belief for young do, and 1091le for small hens \$2.20 belief for young do, and 1091le for small hens \$2.20 belief for young do, and 1091le for small hens \$2.20 belief for young down at 960lo; geese at 460c fer poor and 687c for choice.

Game—Offerings larger, but condition of the ducks poor, and little else offering. Sales ranged as follows: Snipe, \$1.50; ducks, mallard, \$2.25; teal, \$1.75; mixed, %ce\$1; wild turkey, 667c per lb; rabbits, 90c@\$1 for fresh stock.

Venis—None on market; light demand. Choice \$4, 6665bc, latter for very choice; small and thin, \$64c; heretics, 11/262c.

Butter—Receipts, 69,867 hs. The market shows no change. Offerings continue large, especially of the low and medium grades that are not wanted. Fancy dairy is very scarce, but of the considerable receipts of dairy most of the arrivals are medium grades. Fancy table stock selfs at full prices. We do not creamer—Control of the arrivals are medium grades. Fancy table stock selfs at full prices. The price of the control of the

Grass Seed.—Clover in demand at \$2.75@2.80 for low graces, \$5@3.10 for prims to choice; timothy, \$1@1.05 for medium, \$1.25 for prims.
Finax Seed.—Steady at \$1.30.
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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Wheat—Receipts, 44.000; sales, 480.000; depressed, 44.48e lower, weak; May, 858,4853ac; June, 844,485c; July, 858,4853ac; December, 831,4853ac; December, 831,485ac; D MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Whiskey active; sales, 1,014 bus.

Live Steek by Telegraph.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 18,000. Market 50 higher; firm; light, \$3.80a4.05; rough packing, \$3.75a2.85; mixed \$3.80a4.05; rough packing, \$3.75a2.85; mixed \$3.80a4.05; heavy packing and shipping \$3.80a4.05. Cattle—Receipts, 16.000 head; market duli; lower; beeves \$3.23a4.99; cows and mixed, \$1.50a3.20; stockers and feeders, \$2.40a3.50. Sheep—Receipts, 9.000 market weak; lewer; muttons, \$3.75a5.60; corn-fed Western, \$4.90a5.50. Sheep—Receipts, 9.000 market weak; lewer; muttons, \$3.75a5.60; corn-fed Western, \$4.90a5.50. Sheep—Receipts, 9.000 market weak; lewer; muttons, \$3.75a5.60; corn-fed Western, \$3.90a5.50. Sheep—Choics to enary butchers, \$3.85a2.15. Sheep and lambs, receipts 20 loads through, \$5.81a5. Fair domand, top grades \$2.70 loads through, \$5.81a5. Fair domand, top grades \$2.70 loads through, \$5.90a5. Lambs—Choics to extra, \$7a7.15; good to choic extra, \$6.75a6.90.90; loads through, \$7.90a5. Lambs—Choics to extra, \$7a7.15; good to choic leather through, \$7.90a5.75a, \$1.50a5.40. St. 19.00a5. Sheep—Choics to extra, \$7a7.15; good to choic leather through, \$7.90a5.75a, \$1.50a5.40. St. 19.00a5.80. Sheep—Choics to extra, \$7a7.15; good to choic leather through, \$7.5a5.75a, \$1.50a5.40. St. 19.00a5.80; st. 19.00a5.80;

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 24, 3:45 p. m., close.—Poris in fair demand; prices unchanged. Lard, whea
and flour are in poor demand; prices unchanged
Corn—Demand poor for spot and fair for futures
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CITY NEWS.

THE throngs that crowded in and out of crawford's and that bought while in the callding to-day were simply immense, and crowed beyond a point of doubt that the great of purchasers in St. Louis knew just to come to be pleased, and just where they get their money's worth. The satine shoppers say they never saw such lovely ds for so little money in their lives, and the other shoppers echoed the sentiment,

Dr. E. C. Chase,

Corner of 9th & Olive streets. Set of teeth, 58. PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medilines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine st. HER LOVER'S PRESENCE CURED HER.

A Young Carendelet Girl's Peculiar Recey

range and peculiar case came to light rday of a young lady residing Broadway, near Krauss street. Some days ago she was stricken with a fever. At times she was delirious. While in this state she would frantically call for a young man said to be her beau. Her parents were seriously frightened over their daughter's health and summoned a physician. He prescribed some medicine for the girl, but, strange to say, she absolutely refused to touch a drop of it. She would repeatedly call for her lover, calling him by name John. Fearing that the girl's sickness would terminate fatally the mother telegraphed the father, who was at New Orleans, to come home immediately as their daughter was dying. In the meantime John, she girl's lover, was sent for. When he arrived at the house it seemed as though the young lady had instantly recovered from her sickness. John's presence was all that she needed. When her father arrived and the queer case explained he did not know what to do. John was detained at the house all day, and promised to return the next day. He kept his promise, and peculiar as it may appear, the young lady got up out of bed, feeling quite well. Both John and the girl are scarcely 20 years of age, and since the story has lensed out, has created quite a sir. The result of this strange affinity may be anticlipated. ago she was stricken with

nd children made by Scholten were awarded highest prize Paris Exposition, 1889. Tribute to Gen. Sherman.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. NEW YORK, Feb. 24.-Gen. Sherman wound up his celebration of Washington's birthday Saturday evening by attending the perform-ance of "Shenandoah" at Proctor's. The ance of "Shenndoah" at Proctor's. The oid warrior occupied a box with members of his family and followed the incidents of the play closely. The occupants of the seats soon learned of the presence of the General and divided their attention between him and the stage, watching closely to see the effect of the play on him. After the Sheridam's ride scene, upon which the curtain fails, the audience broke out into loud applause, and before it ended loud cries came from all over the house for "Sherman," "Sherman." The hero of Atlanta rose to his feet, placed his hand on his breast and made a profound military bow. The cries and cheers continued and Gen. Sherman kept bowing and smiling and shaking his head. Finally, raising his hand peremptorily, he commanded silence and not till then did the applause stop. "It's a wonder," the General said as he left the theaster, "that the band did not play 'Marching Through Georgia.' Everywhere I go they play that tune when they know I am in the orowd. and I confess I like it. I have seen 'Shenandoan' nine times, but this is the distraction."

Life Assurance Society appears to-day. The exact figures of the account are in every

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATOR. which had been prepared by the Rev. Wm. Wigger, Catholic Bishop of Newark, N. J., condemning the public schools and ordering the faithful under his charge to send their children to the parochial schools of the diocese, under pain of excommunication, was not received by the Catholic clergy of Hoboken and Jersey City last week, and consequently was not read in the Catholic churches in those clice yesterday, as everybody expected it would be. In fact, Bishop Wigger, owing to the determined opposition of some of his leading priests, has reconsidered his determination to anathematize his recalcitant children who continue to find some virtue in the public schools. He is now expected to issue a private circular to his clergy instructing them that, under certain conditions and circumstances, members of their flocks may continue to patronize the public schools.

To San Francisco and the Pacific Coast.

The Burlington Route runs through trains of Pullman sleepers and free reclining chair cars from St. Louis direct to St. Joseph, Kansas City and Denver without change of carr of any class, making connect points for San Francisco and the Pacific coast. Solid through trains are also run from St Louis direct to St. Paul and Minneapolis. making connection for Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and all points in the great Northwest Ticket office 112 North Fourth street and Union

Expect to Be Matched.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 24.—Reports were current here last week that Mrs. Betting Padelford and Mr. J. J. Haffael had been matched. Last night Mrs. Fadelford, who is the daughter of Gen. Ordway, United States Army, said: "I have not yet obtained a divorce from my husband, and neither has Mr. Raffael obtained one from his wire, but as soon as we obtain our divorces—well, I can't say what will happen. Jack is a dear fellow and I am very fond of him, and we do expect to be matched some time, and that very soon. I have obtained a divorce in England, but I understand that it is not legal in this country." Mr. Raffael is also suing for a divorce, and it will not be long before the suit will come up in New York.

Fon the cure or prevention of the Influen Tenfold Carlabad Water, properly diluted with

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 24.—A young Congo negress, named Annie Taylor, found an acquaintance named Jim Bradley in the room of Polly White at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and plunged a dagger into his breast. After committing the deed she dragged him down stairs and walked him a block followed by her rival. By this time the dying man was too far gone to proceed further and fell at a street corner de ad. Both women are under arrest. Each claims that the other did the killing,

As a Nerve Tonic

Use Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

Dr. 8, 1. Williams, Clarence, Iowa, says I have used it to grand effect in alcase of neural pic fever, and in uterine difficulties. Also in cases where a general tonic was meeded for a nerve toning I think it is the best I have

## SLOSSON INDIGNANT.

HE THINKS SCHAEFER IS BEING STARRED TOO MUCH IN THE TOURNAMENT.

John B. Day Says the Syndicate Offer for the National League Clubs Is Not Made in Good Faith—Two Puglists Fail Inte a Fire and Are Burned—Chloage Again



NEW YORK, Feb. 24. HERE promises to be a serious hitch in the great Chickering Hall billiard tournament. auspiciously. Such at pearances yesterday. Geo. Slosson talked

more bitterly than on that he said had been uling him for the af-"Under no circum stances will I play the

game," he said, "It is manifestly unfair and I wear no man's better at night than I can in the afteroon, and besides the principle of the thing goes against me. Such a thing as scheduling winners for afternoon games has never been attempted before in any billiard tournament. For some reason Mr. Schnefer has been pushed to the front in this matter in every way-on the bills, in announced schedules and otherwise. I will forfels the game, if necessary, but nothing will induce me to take

up a cue in the contest to-morrow after-

The managers of the tournament were quite determined up to a late hour last evening to change the programme to meet Slosson's views. They said that they had considered all the details of the meeting, and it was to the interests of every one that the schedule had been formulated. The billiard players had run things to suit themselves about long enough, and they thought that it was time to let the manufacturers, who bore all the ex-penses and took all the risks, have something

penses and took all the risks, have something to say.

Catton is protesting quite as vigorously against to-day's programme as his scheduled adversary, though he does not threaten to throw up the game. Under the schedule, as it is, he will have to play about 1,000 points to morrow afternoon, which means a siege of about six hours at the billiard table without a rest. He will have to meet Heiser in a 500 point game at 10 o'clock, and as the latter plays a very slow game it will certainly be 3:30 in the afternoon before it can be finished. Then, when he is thoroughly tired out, he will be compelled to begin his game with Slosson if the latter plays.

plays.
"I guess I'll get through it," Catton remarked last night, "but I'll be ready to drop
when it is over, and I certainly will not be
able to do myself justice in the second game." It is not altogether impossible that some sort of a compromise will be arranged some time this morning.

DAY ON THE DEAL, The New York League Magnate Discusse the Syndicate Offer.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATOIL. prints this: For the last month the air has been filled with rumors and denials of rumors as to the movements and proposed policy of either the National League or the Players' Brotherhood. Ghost stories of all sorts and

made the offer on behalf of a syndicate of New York gentlemen and that they had addressed themselves to him because he was considered the leading representative of the League. After consulting with his friends, Mr. Day sent a terse roply that if the syndicate had any offers to make to the League they would have to apply themselves to President Young.

"I declined to discuss the offer," Mr. Day said to me yesterday. "It is manifestly absurd and inslucere. The Boston and Philadelphia Clubs are worth more than that alone with all their profits. It is known that the Brotherhood backers would like to get hold of the League franchiss if they only had the means to do it. This step is the only one that would give them a binding hold on the players. They know as well as we do that they have no legal claim on the services of any of the men now and that before the playing season begins we will demonstrate this in the courts.

"There are scores of men who would give \$1,000,000 for the property these men make a bid for, but I don't think it could be had for twice that sum and they knew it as well as any one. That the offer is not a bona fide one is evident from the fact that they have rushed into the newspapers with it. Syndicates with a million dollars who mean business are not in the habit of publishing to the world their schemes. It was merely made for the benefit of the public."

Mr. Boardman of the firm of lawyers said that the offer was made in good faith and that while the gentlemen who were concerned in the moved din not care to appear in the matter just yet, they were not connected with the Brotherhood and stood ready to pay the monory at any time.

just yet, they were not connected with the Brotherhood and stood ready to pay the money at any time.

Chamberlain All Right. A story comes from Buffalo that Elton Chamberlain now regrets having signed with St. Louis, and that while he will report here for duty he has no idea that he will ever play here. It is stated further that Mr. Von der Ahe is negotiating to sell him to Brooklyn or Cincinnati. Mr. Von der Ahe denies that he has any intention of selling Chamberian to any club and says the young pitcher well knew of the Brotherhood when he signed here, but preferred to play with the Browns. It is the opinion of the Browns' President that the Brotherhood are endeavoring to get Chamber. rotherhood are endeavoring to get Chamber ain dissatisfied so as to get him to jump.

A BRUTAL BATTLE.

Two Prize Fighters Fall Into a Fire and Ar

Badly Burned. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 24.-James Hogan alias Alcher, late of Colorado, and Harry Gli-more, champion of Northeastern Pennsyl ania, fought in Wilkesbarre Mountains early yesterday morning. Hogan weighed 16 pounds and Gilmore 171, and the former was favorite in the betting at \$50 to \$35. It was so cold when the men stripped to fight that a bondre was built at the ring so that the battle could go on. Hogan was suffering so much from the cold and shivering so badly in the fifth round that his backers asked time to warm him at the fire, but the referee said he could not allow it. Glimore punished him as he pleased in this round. At the end of the ninth round Glimore was also suffering so hadly from the cold that his backers wanted a postponement until a place of shelter could be secured. This the reteree also refused, but the men were finally allowed ton minutes to warm up. When they were heated up well they renewed the battle, Hogan forced the fighting, while Glimore took things easy. In the thirty-nith round the men, who were badly exhausted fell over the the wood fire, and the flash of both men ware badly roasted before was sarribly burned on the back and his skin and flash pealed off. Hoganized burned in favorite in the betting at \$50 to \$35. It was so

unconscious into their seconds' arms. Gilmore was awarded the fight as the most secintific man. They battled for \$500. It is feared that both men will die of their injuries. Thousands of dollars were lost on the battle. The referee and seconds have been arressed and great indignation prevails. One clergyman in his sermon yesterday said the men had violated God's day, and if they had been slowly roasted to death it would be setting a good example to the community. Mike McGinnis, the referee, it was discovered had drunk some poison and a stomach pump was used on him. It is supposed a betting man had placed it in his liquor.

Poor Old Chicago

The picked team of Chicago foot ball players, after suffering defeat Saturday afternoon at the hands of the local picked eleven by a score of 3 to 0, were again shut out at Amateur score of 5 to 0, were again shut out at Amateur Park yesterday afternoon, when the score stood 2 to 0 against them. A crowd of about 1,000 people witnessed the contest, which was very interesting despite the muddy and slippery condition of the grounds. By taking both games the home team wins the Western footbail champlonship. The Chicago Club was strengthened yesterday by the addition of three new arrivals, but although they put up a better game than on Suturday they were no match for the St. Louis boys. Last night after a banquet at Faust's the Windy City delegation returned home without having scored a goal in either contest. The teams yesterday were as follows:

St. Louis.

Backs. Half-backs.

Western Association of Athletes,

At a meeting of the Board of Management of the Western Association of Amateur Athletes held yesterday the resignations of the Pastime held yesterday the resignations of the Pastime Athletic Club of St. Louis from membership and S. Carr Cabanne, as President of the association, were accepted, and Mr. J. A. St. John was elected to fill the latter vacancy. It was decided to hold the boxing and wrestling championships at St. Louis on March 128 and 29, instead of at Chicago on March 1 and 3, as originally arranged. President St. John was instructed to appoint a Conference Committee to meet a committee aiready appointed by the Amateur Athletic Union, to amalgamate the two organizations.

The Mexico Fair Circuit.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparce.

MEXICO, Mo., Feb. 24.—A meeting of officers of the Fair Circuit, composed of Mexico, Moberly, Hannibal, Sedalia, Higginsville, Cameron and Maryville, will be held at Moberly Tuesday to arrange dates, adopt rules and prepare a schedule of purses. Fulton, Marshall, St. Charles, Shelbins, Monros City and Palmyra will probably be added to the Circuit.

' Joe Tansey of St. Louis knocked out Jack Connors of Cincinnati in three rounds yester-day afternoon on an island in the Mississippi, thirty miles above Vieksburg. A terrific right hand blow in the neck in the third round did

Photos of Babies and childen made by Scholten were awarded highest prize Paris Exposition, 1889

A HORRIBLE CRIME. Terrible Work of a Dranken Man

Alban, Quebec. By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. ST. ANNE DE LA PERADE, Quebec, Feb. 24.-One of the most astroclous crimes in the calendar was committed in the village of St. Alban yesterday, when Rudolph Dubols murdered his mother-in-law and his two children. Dubois for some time has been on bad terms with his mother-in-law, who has been living with him for several years, and quarrels between them were frequent. When the family was getting ready for dinner yesterday Dubois

bottle from him.

"I've stood this long enough," he shouted, and struck the old lady on the head. Her screams brought the wife back into the house and she saw her husband pounding her mother's head with an ax. Forgetting her own danger she rushed in to save the mother and was struck down herself with a fearful gash in the head. The infuriated husband deliberately began to hack his mother-in-faw's body to pleces. Then he infuriated husband deliberately began to hack his mother-in-law's body to pieces. Then he went up-stairs where his 4-months-old baby was in the cradie. The baby was almost decapitated besides having cruel cuts all over the body. Duböis' thirst for blood was not yet satisfied and with the bloody ax he went out in the road where Joseph Rudoiph, his son, was playing, and struck him on the head. He then threw the ax beside the body and started for the woods. When the crime was discovered the wife was still alive, bufshe died after telling the frightful story. The whole village turned out to hunt for the murderer, but he had a couple of hours start of his pursuers, and at last accounts he had not been captured. Some of the party have reached this place and the story was related by a man named Rocher.

Unsuspected disorders of the kidneys are ponsible for many of the ordinary allment of humanity, which neglected, develop int a serious and perhaps fatal malady. Experience would suggest the use of Dr. J. H. Mc Lean's Liver and Kidney Balm.

A Jealons Brute.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

MATS LANDING, N. J., Feb. 24.—Frederick Dransfield of Millville came to this town Saturday evening under the influence of lig and, going to the house of his betrothed, Mrs. Martha Vannaman, a pretty 22-year-old widow, struck her in the face. He was apparently jesious, and before he left her he beat her in the face, pulled her hair and knocked her down, breaking her ear-rings and bracelets. After the assault the girl clung to her lover and asked the officers not to arrest him. He then fied.

How About the Prudence of allowing cough to run on, rasping the Pulmonary and Bronchisl organs, when that approved and speedy remedy. Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant, oan be obtained from any Apothecary.

Left His Fortune to His Workmen.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPARCH.

MONTEBAL, Feb. 24.—M. Chanteloup, the
largest brass founder in Canada, who died
last week, left his fortune, estimated at \$500,000 with the exception of a few thousand dollars which goes to charity, to his employes. Each of his 500 workmen gets \$400 while three foremen are left the business and capital to carry it on. M. Chanteloup was a Frenchman, and during the Paris riots had to fly to Canada.

A MORE agreeable traveling companion than a cold is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparce.
Marshall, Mo., Feb. 24.—A dog fight, which promises to culminate in a suit, occurred last night at the depot. In the battle J. D. Billnight the depot. In the Dattle J. D. Ellingsley as being worsted by a New-oundland belonging to T. M. Jackson, when sillingsley rushed to the resone with a knife, nutting Jackson's dog so that it was after-ward filled. Jackson alleges that his dog was worth \$200, and announces his intention o bring suit against Billingsley for that



A DESERVED TRIBUTE.

MR. SHELDON OF THE ETHICAL SOCIETY EULOGIZES DR. CHAS. W. STEVENS.

He Tells What Dr. Stevens Did for the Ethieal Movement in St. Louis-Dr. Snyder Begins a Series of Lectures on the Evolu-tion of Christianity-Rev. B. A. Holland Delivers a Discourse on "The Devil."

At the meeting of the Ethical Culture Soci ety yesterday morning, at Memorial Hall, Mr. W. L. Sheldon, the lecturer of the society. delivered a sulogy upon the late Dr. Charles W. Stevens, who was at one time President of the society. The death of Dr. Stevens he considered a great loss to the ethical culture movement in St. Louis. He was a man of high worth and in every way a model of the right eousness which it was the aim of the Ethical Society to promote. The eulogy, while most complimentary to the character of the deeased, was but a just tribute. Mr. Sheldon's remarks were as follows:

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We may not as a rule care to express feeling of esteem before the public, for friends who have been taken away from us. We prefer ordinarily to say it in the quiet of the family. Occasionally, however, it does happen that a man is called from our midst who has belonged in a way to other persons besides his friends and intimate acquaintances. There are individuals who have been a part of the life of the community. When we know that an individual of that kind is separated from us finally on earth we feel then as though we would like to say before others something of our sense of loss, because we know that the sad event has not merely taken something away from personsi friends, but made a gap in the life of the city. We may truly say that to this class would belong our friend whom we shall not have with us again.

He has grown up with this people; he has seen our city start from its early youth; as he was growing into maturity and ripening in years, it too was developing around him and raing to its present size and prosperity. He has lived its life and felt its feelings, he has shared in its strife and commotion, he has lived through its tragedy. When now parting from him we are truly separating from one of the fathers of our community.

He has occupied a private as well as a public position. What is so remarkable is that he lived through it all, did his work so faithfully, and yet was so true and gentle in his methods, so honest and straightforward in his purposes, that there seems to have been for him a universal esteem and love. Few men are able to de this; it is the gift of rare natures to be able to fuifill one's duty, to do the right thing so manfully, and yet be able at the same time to have that kindness of manner and feeling which keeps him from arousing antagonism.

A few days ago, masmors of all the professions in this city, lawyers, business men, physicians and the clergy, stood at his bler and tendered their regard. Strength and g

courage.

As we lay him away to his rest and commit him to the arms of the Eternal, we can but think that it will be well if he form the standard for the future fathers of the community.

Further, he had the calm heroic strength of

Further, he had the calm heroic strength of a man with convictions. We think of men in their old age as wanting rest, seclusion, relief from their share in the new work and effort. Nevertheless this man at 70 years of age was ready to come forward, join our number, and become our leading member. He did not do this, as I understand it, from any thought that he was going to piace himself in antagonism to other people. He had said that in his own mind, while talking to only one or two others, he had been thinking of these matters for years. It was to him as though he were now only taking his seat in his natural religious home. He did not want to be where he could not be in accord with his own heart; but here he seemed to find whathe had been long feeling. He had the DEEPERT SPIRIT OF REVERENCE, but along with that the scientific attitude of the physician. For this reason, as I understand it, he felt that here he would find both. It is pleasant for me to remember with reference to him that a should have stood with

ago, who was at that time Sheriff, a contem-plated jall delivery was frustrated Saturday plated jail delivery was frustrated Saturday night. The two inmates, awaiting trial on a charge of burglary, had been at work for five weeks (their own statement) sawing a hole through the iron flooring of their cell with a saw made out of a piece of iron hoop from their water pail and had about finished this part of the programme, after which a few nours' work on the outer wall from underneath the floor, to which access would then have been easy, would have orowned their efforts with success. In burning a lot of paper to heat the from flooring, so as to make the cutting of it easier, they attracted the attention of Mrs. G., who smelled the smoke, and immediately investigated the cause with the above result.

\$50,000 Blaze at Dubuque.

DUBUQUE, Io., Feb. 24.—Fire here yesterday damaged the Globe building to the extent of \$50,000. Platt Bros., clothlers, who occupied three floors of the structure, lost over \$50,000. The insurance on stock will aggregate \$40,000. Some of the companies interested are the Commercial Union of London, 25,000; German



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# **P** BROADWAY and

freight car in the Allegheny Valley Railroad tax had been paid. One had two ca yards in Pittsburg. Papers in the dead man' pockets led the police to believe that his name was C. B. Miller, that he was a physithought that he was going to place himself in thought that he was going to place himself in thought that he was mind, while talking to only that in his own mind, while talking to only that in his own mind, while talking to only that in his own mind, while talking to only the two others, he had been thinking of these matters for years. If was to him as though he were now only taking his seat in his natural religious home. He did not want to be where he could not be in accord with his own heart; but here he seemed to find what he had been long feeling. He hat the seemed to find what he had been long feeling. He hat the solentific attitude of the physician. For this reason, as I understand it, he felt that here he would find both. It is pleasant for me to remember with reference to him, that he should have stood with me here and addressed you; that in his caim, ripened old ago he should have felt that hen he dould sill be a scientific attitude of our Ethical Society.

Dr. Holland on "The Devil."

Rev. Dr. Holland of St. George's Episcopal Church on "The Devil." The doctor advanced the opinion that the devil was not the diabolical figure that mythology and superstition pictured him, but an evil genius that was ever present in human nature and striying for ascendency. Nobody any longer believed, he said, in the devil of Christianity. He was nothing more now than a huge joke. Out in the West they named localities after him. The devil in man was what Christiongh that was ever present in human nature and striying for ascendency. Nobody any longer believed, he said, in the devil of Christianity. He was nothing more now than a huge joke. Out in the West they named localities after him. The devil in man was what Christiongh that over the devil in man was what Christiongh that the control of the family, Joseph Miller, that a success the devil in man was what Christiongh that the control of the family of the c cian, and that his home was in Western Kan Word came from that town that a Dr.

SIMPLY CLERICAL ERRORS

Collector Ziegenheim Says the City Hag No The report on Saturday that a number o

erchants' and manufacturers' tax bills had een presented Friday, for which payment ad been made, and for which bills receipts had been made, and for which bills reco issued regularly were held, caused someti the duplication was due to fraud, or merely to the duplication was due to fraud, or merely to clerical errors. Mr. Ziegenheim was seen this morning, and asked for an explanation, "Anvihing of this kind," he said, "may be put down as a clerical error. There is no possibility of anyone collecting money for the city, as the blanks bear the stamps of the comptroller, register and collector, and are only payable here. That there should be mistakes is not at all surprising. In the number of tampayers we have above any

OPEN UNTIL 10 P. M. SATURDAYS. DIED OF STARVATION.

The Dead Bedy of a Physician Found in a Facility Car.

Pirtsburg, Pa., Feb. 24.—Several months

The dead bedy of a Physician Found in a

Office Men's Club. The next regular meeting of the Office Men's Club will be held to-morrow at 8 p. m. The topic will be "Book-keeping and Book-keep Executive Committee have approved the following applications for membership, and they will be bailoted upon at this meeting: Chas. A. Honecker, with D. M. Osborné & Co.; H. P. Hull, with Taylor Manufacturing Co.; Geo. Homan, physician.

CHEROKEE LODGE, No. 1,363, Knights and Ladies of Honor, give a ball at Concordia Park Hall the first Saturday in March. This lodge is in no way connected with the Cherokea Serenading Club, which also gives a ball about the same time.

## HUMPHREY'S.

St. Louis, Feb. 24,

When you have a moment's leisure our eyes downward and note the on of your Trousers.



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INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF OWLS.

The Second Annual Ladies' Night to Be Celebrated on Wednesday. At Masonio Temple on Wednesday evening ext, Nest No. 1, of the St. Louis flock of the Independent International Order of Owls, will celebrate its second annual ladies' night. Very handsomely engraved invisations have been sent out, and a large attendance is expected. The following rules have been laid down, and will be strictly adhered to: The gentiemen invited are restricted to members of the order. Gentlemen may be accompanied by only one lady, and children will not be admitted under any circumstances. Admission will be secured by card, and personal identification is required. The street doors will be opened at 7:30, the promenate concert will open at 8:30 and close at 10, the banquet will be served from 10 to 11, and the entertainment will close with a hop, opening at 11:30 and closing at 1. The ball will be opened by the St. Louis Flock, the half hour between 11 and 11:30 being reserved for that purpose. Costume de reguuer is prescribed. been sent out, and a large attendance is ex-

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